### **BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND**

Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Interoffice Correspondence

DATE:

December 9, 2002

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Permits & Development Management

Attn.: David Duvall

FROM:

Theresa R. Shelton

Board of Appeals

SUBJECT:

**CLOSED APPEAL CASE FILES** 

The following case(s) have been finalized and the Board of Appeals is closing the copy of the appeal case file(s) and returning the file(s) and exhibits (if applicable) attached herewith.

BOARD OF APPEALS CASE NUMBER	<u>PDM FILE NUMBER</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
90-492-SPHA	90-492-SPHA	Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc.	Black Pine Farm
02-255-XA	02-255-XA	Port East LLC Kenneth C. Jones	4515 North Point Blvd
90-540-A	90-540-A	100 Church Lane Partnership	100 Church Lane
96-284-SPHX with CBA-97-100	96-284-SPHX III-377	Village Care, Inc. John W. Tastet – LO	Mt. Wilson Lane and Iron Horse Lane

Attachment: SUBJECT FILE(S) ATTACHED



## County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

### COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING, ROOM 315 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 (301) 887-3180

Hearing Room Room 301, County Office Bldg. December 31, 1990

### NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT AND REASSIGNMENT

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CASE NO. 90-492-SPHA

CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC. SW/s of Black Rock Rd., 800' SE of Benson Mill Rd. (Black Pine Farm) 5th Election District 3rd Councilmanic District

SPH-Reconfiguration of parcels/lot lines; clustering of RC 2 densities; OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE VAR-Accessory bldg. in front yard in lieu of rear; height

8/23/90 -Z.C.'s Order DENYING Petition for Special Hearing; GRANTING with restrictions Petition for Variance.

which was scheduled for hearing on May 3, 1991 has been POSTPONED at the request of Counsel for the Protestants and has been

### REASSIGNED FOR: WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 1991 AT 10:00 a.m.

Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc.

L. Myrton Gaines Contract Purchaser

G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Counsel for Protestants

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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July 8, 1991

HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Kathi Weidenhammer Administrative Secretary County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

Case No.: 90-492-SPHA

Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

(Black Pine Farm)

Dear Ms. Weidenhammer:

This will confirm our telephone conference call with Macy Nelson, Esquire on July 5 concerning the hearing in the above case which is scheduled for July 10 at 10:00 a.m.

that the parties have light of the fact substantial progress toward effectuating a complete resolution of the underlying matter, Mr. Nelson and I are jointly requesting a continuance of the hearing for thirty (30) days in order to finalize the necessary documentation to be filed shortly with the Board.

Because of the lateness of this request, I am planning to appear in person on July 10 at the hearing room to renew this request, unless you telephone me and instruct me not to come.

Thanking you and the members of the Board for your consideration of this request, I am

Stephen J. Nolan

Counsel for Appellants

SJN/mao

G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Phyllis Cole Friedman, Esquire People's Counsel

RE : CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC.

HEARING DATE: July 10, 1991 @ 10:00 a.m.

T/C 7/05/91 from Steve Nolan, Counsel for Petitoner/Appellant --

Working out possible settlement of matter; will advise.

7/05/91

Conference call w/Steve Nolan and G. Macy Nelson (Counsel for Protestants) --

Have reached agreement in principle; believe and have good reason to believe that result of this will be dismissal of appeal. However, because of number of parties involved and even though they have already exchanged draft agreement, will not have it concluded by Wednesday, 7/10/91.

Steve Nolan will prepare and have delivered to the Board's office on Monday, 7/08, a letter detailing the above. He will then appear on Wednesday, 7/10/91, to request continuance on the record on behalf of parties involved. Macy Nelson will not be here on Wednesday.

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December 21, 1990

William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 315, County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Case No.: 90-492-SPHA
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Dear Mr. Hackett:

I represent neighboring landowners who are opposed to the proposed project which is the subject of this appeal. On December 20, 1990, I received your office's notice scheduling the hearing for Friday, May 3, 1991 at 10:00 a.m. I am writing to request a change in that hearing date because I am scheduled to be out of town on that date. May I suggest that we all confer to select a date that is convenient for the Board, the parties, and all counsel.

truly yours

Macy Nelson

GMN/js

cc: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire Phyllis Friedman, People's Counsel for Baltimore County 12/17/90 - Following parties notified of hearing set for May 3, 1991 at 10:00 a.m.:

Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire William Boucher, III, Pres. Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. L. Myrton Gaines G. Macy Nelson, Esquire People's Counsel for Baltimore County P. David Fields Pat Keller Public Services J. Robert Haines Ann M. Nastarowicz James E. Dyer W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning Arnold Jablon, County Attorney

12/31/90 - Above parties notified of POSTPONEMENT and REASSIGNMENT to July 10, 1991 at 10:00 a.m.

7/08/91 -Letter from Stephen Nolan, Esq., confirming telephone conversation /conference call of 7/05/91 (note attached to letter) regarding request for continuance and confirming same.

7/10/91 -Matter continued on the record pending settlement negotiations; to be set in for brief period to put settlement on record at later date / at request of Counsel.

8/08/91 -Above parties notified of hearing set for Tuesday, August 27, 1991 at 9:15 a.m. by joint agreement of Counsel for purpose of settlement on record and testimony of one witness.

8/27/91 -Continued on the recrd to Friday, September 6, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. for settlement on record. Notices sent to all parties regarding said hearing date and time.

8/30/91 - Above parties sent Revised Notice of Continuance and Reassignment. Case now set for September 4, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. (1 hour).

9/04/91 -Continued on record at request of Doug Burgess w/no objection by other Counsel. To be reset at request of Counsel when ready to proceed.

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Petition for Special Hearing and Variance SW/S of Black Rock Road, 800' SE of Benson Mill Road

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Zoning Plans Advisory Committee Comments  $\checkmark$ 

Director of Planning & Zoning Comments /

Petitioner's Exhibits:  $\sqrt{1}$ . Copies of Deeds and Agreements

 $\sqrt{2}$ . Plan to accompany Petitions  $(4^{-1})$ 

 $\sqrt{3}$ . Tax Maps pieced together

4. No Exhibit in file marked "4"

(TN BOARD'S) 5. Plan to accompany Petitions

(LOSET) 7. Topography Maps (Black and brown lines)

 $\sqrt{8.}$  Agreement

 $\sqrt{9}$ . Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions

√10. Memo Re: Policy Manual

 $\sqrt{$  11. 1988 Comprehensive Zoning Map

 $^{\sqrt{}}$  12. Site Plan - Black Pine Farm

 $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}_{13}$ . Aerial Photographic Map

14. Comments from Robert W. Sheesley

15. Comments from Pat Keller

16. Agreement letter to rent property

 $\sqrt{17}$ . Bill No. 134-89

18. Receipt No. 1978

19. Copies of Deeds and Agreements

 $\sqrt{20}$ . Two (2) Photographs

 $\sqrt{21}$ . Interim Application of Bill No. 134-89

Appeal Checklist - Case No. 90-492-SPHA CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC. - Petitioner September 17, 1990 Page 2

Protestants Exhibits: / 1. Plan to accompany Petitions  $\sqrt{\,}$  2A. Pine Run Preservation Association Original Memberships √ 3. Letter from James H. Dorsey  $\sqrt{4}$  . Letter from Valleys Planning Council

√ Zoning Commissioner's Order dated August 23, 1990 (Denied) γραφορίος γ Hanted VAR To Custicipiones Notice of Appeal received August 28, 1990 from Stephen J. Nolan and Douglas L. Burgess, Attorneys on behalf of the Petitioner

cc: William Boucher, III President - Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. 117 Water Street, Suite 800, Baltimore, MD 21202

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October 28, 2002

Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire NOLAN, PLUMHOFF & WILLIAMS, CHTD. Suite 700, Nottingham Centre 502 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

> RE: In the Matter of: Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. Case No. 90-492-SPHA /Dismissal

Dear Mr. Nolan:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Order of Dismissal issued this date by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County in the subject matter.

Very truly yours,

len C. Burlo ftes

Administrator

#### Enclosure

c: Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire ' G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Anthony P. Palaigos, Esquire People's Counsel for Baltimore County Pat Keller, Planning Director Lawrence E. Schmidt /Zoning Commissioner Arnold Jablon, Director /PDM



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#### ASSIGNED FOR:

FRIDAY, MAX 3, 1991 at 10:00 a.m.

cc: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Counsel for Petitioner/Appellant Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire " " " " "

William Boucher, III, Pres.

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\* BEFORE THE

CHESAPEAK EQUITY ORG., INC.

\* COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND

VARIANCE ON PROPERTY LOCATED \* OF

ON THE SW/S BLACK ROCK ROAD,

800' SE OF BENSON MILL ROAD \* BALTIMORE COUNTY

(BLACK PINE FARM)

\* CASE NO. 90-492-SPHA

5<sup>TH</sup> ELECTION DISTRICT 3<sup>RD</sup> COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT 01102110170 172 01111

#### **ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

This matter having come before this Board on appeal dated August 28, 1990 from a decision of the Zoning Commissioner in which the requested special hearing was denied and variance relief granted with restrictions;

WHEREAS, the Board has been reviewing its docket with reference to inactive cases with the intent to dismiss and close as many of these cases as possible; and

WHEREAS, the subject matter has been held on the Board's docket since September 4, 1991, and no further action has occurred since that date;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED this Athday of (Italia), 2002 by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County that the above-referenced appeal in Case No. 90-492-SPHA be and the same is hereby DISMISSED FOR LACK OF PROSECUTION.

COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Charles L. Marks, Chairman

SW/s of Black Rock Rd., 800' SE of Benson Mill Rd. (Black Pine Farm)

#90-492-SPHA CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC.

Appealed: 8/28/90 5th District

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- Charles Fenwick, Ann Fenwick P.O. Box 1 Butler, Md. 21023

## PROTESTANT'S EXHIBIT 2D

90-4925PHA

Three Ring Farm Upperco, Maryland 21155

## PROTESTANT'S EXHIBIT 3

July 5, 1990

90-4925PHA

Mr. J. Robert Haines
Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner
Office of Planning and Zoning
Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Black Pine Farm

Dear Mr. Haines:

We own 157+- acres that border Black Pine Farm on two sides. Seventy of those acres we bought four years ago under an agreement with H. Stokes Lott, the previous owner of Black Pine Farm. We purchased the property for the following purposes: we wished to increase the amount of tillable acreage on our farm, and we wanted to see the entire area preserved agriculturally and environmentally. We did this with the expressed understanding that the remainder of Black Pine Farm would not be developed.

Since 1981 we have had an Agricultural Conservation Plan provided by the Soil Conservation Service in effect, and our farm has formally been in an Agricultural Preservation District since 1985. It has been our intent to continue in the District and to apply to sell the easements to the State. However, as long as the possibility exists that any small lot development will be allowed on Black Pine Farm, we will not even consider entering into a permanent agreement.

We are also participating in the Upland Game Habitat Restoration Program and have entered into a grant agreement with the Department of Natural Resources, Forest, Park and Wildlife Service for The Wildlife Habitat Improvement Program. By allowing the inclusion of the four smaller lots on the ridge so near our property, the County will seriously jeopardize our efforts to improve the wildlife resources of the area.

Our farming activities include breeding and raising horses and a few cows, growing hay for our own animals and selling what we do not need, and growing small grains which we have combined and sell, retaining the straw for our own use. One of our largest tillable fields boarders Black Pine Farm. Any non-agricultural development of the adjoining property puts our attempts to effectively farm our land at risk.

Re. Black Pine Farm July 5,1990 Page 2

We had planned to attend the hearing scheduled for June 26, 1990 and to testify to the issues stated in this letter. Unfortunately, long-standing plans that can not be changed prevent us from attending the hearing on July 10, 1990. Please accept this letter as evidence of our opposition to the transfer of zoning densities in this case. Thank you.

Sincerely,

James H. Dorsey

Matilda W. Dorsey

### THE VALLEYS PLANNING COUNCIL, INC.

212 Washington Avenue P.O. Box 5402 Towson, Maryland 21285-5402 301/337-6877

July 10, 1990

J. Robert Haines, Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning 111 Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Dear Commissioner Haines,

Re: 90-492-SPHA

PROTESTANT'S

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Valleys Planning Council, Inc., this letter is to inform you of our opposition to the above referenced case, specifically related to the "Special Hearing".

In this case the property owners are attempting to transfer density from an RC-4 zoned area to an RC-2 area zoned, thereby creating 4 small (I.5 acre) lots in the RC-2 zoned area. We believe that this would directly contradict the intent of the Resource Conservation zones (see attached findings). This area is part of the largest mass of farmland in Baltimore County, most of which is preserved in perpetuity by the Maryland Environmental Trust easement, and/or by the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation.

Furthermore, we believe that allowing this transfer of density conflicts with the finding of Judge Barbara Kerr Howe in the case of Steven H. Gudeman, et ux, Case No. 88-490-SPH where she stated:

"Nothing in the statute permits roads to be used as density multipliers; there is also nothing in the statutes to allow transfers of density from one parcel to another. Despite this fact, for a number of years the Zoning Commissioner, pursuant to a 'policy' has apparently been doing these things. The transfer of density is a zoning function which cannot even be accomplished by amendments to the master plan duly approved by a Planning Commission or Planning Board let alone by unilateral action by a zoning commissioner under the guise of 'policy'. West Montogomery Association v. MNCP&P Commission, 309 Md. 183, 522 A.2d 1328 (1987)." Opinion, page 2.

We understand that this "transfer of density" issue is quite complicated but would strongly contend that it is not clearly addressed under the County's current regulations.

We would like you to be aware as well that the Valleys Planning Council has attempted to work with the property owners to develop mutually satisfactory restrictive covenants in (the event that the project as currently proposed would go forward.)

In our opinion restrictive covenants would be the only way to assure the highest possibility of continued farming and a rural presence on the property.

At this time, however, no such covenants have been proffered by the developer for our review. Those agreements which we would consider mandatory are:

- 1) no further subdivision of the property
- 2) the undeveloped property held in a perpetual easement of some kind
- 3) the road mutually owned in fee by the property owners such that maintenance would never be County responsibility.

In conclusion, we do not feel that the permission of this transfer of density is allowed by law or policy nor does it promote the continuation of agriculture in an area currently farmed. In addition, without suitable restrictive covenants we would oppose the proposed project.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.

Sincerely,

Karen Meyer Executive Director

Karen Theyer, Eld

KM/akd

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September 12, 1991

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William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 315 County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Case No. 90-492-SPHA

Subject: Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

S.W.S. of Black Rock Road, 800 ft. S.E. of Benson Mill Road, Fifth Election

District, Third Councilmanic District My Clients: James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey

My Clients: James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dors 3737 Millender Mill Road

Baltimore, Maryland 21155

Our File No. 10399(1)

Dear Mr. Hackett:

The purpose of this letter is to follow up on my correspondence to the County Board of Appeals dated and received August 26, 1991, submitted on behalf of my clients, James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey ("Dorseys").

As previously indicated in the aforementioned letter, the Dorseys stated that they would have no objection to the proposed three lot agricultural subdivision, provided it did not in any way interfere with or otherwise affect, in any manner, any and all rights that they may have pursuant to the Deed of Easement and Sharing Agreement previously described in the aforementioned letter of August 26, 1991, which Agreements, as previously noted, have been and are recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County.

After having reviewed the Deed of Easement and primarily the Sharing Agreement, it is the Dorseys position that the proposed three lot agricultural subdivision does, in fact,

ARTICLE 1A--RESOURCE-CONSERVATION ZONES [Bill No. 98, 1975]

Section 1A00--GENERAL PROVISIONS: ALL R.C. CLASSIFICATIONS
[Bill No. 98, 1975]

#### 1A00.1--Findings. It is found:

- a. that development in the rural areas of Baltimore County has in recent years been taking place at an increasing rate; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- b. that this development has occurred without the framework of a land use plan or other planning components; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- c. that due to this and other factors, this development has formed very undesirable land use patterns; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- d. that in general, these patterns are, or can be described as, urban sprawl; [Bill No. 98-75]
- e. that a significant amount of urban sprawl development is occurring as linear development along the various highways of the rural areas of the County as tracts of land immediately fronting along highways are "lotted off"; the utility of the road system is being impaired and future improvements will be frustrated if this process continues; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- f. that it has been established that this development carries with it an extremely high cost to the County in a number of respects including: [Bill No. 98, 1975]
  - the cost of servicing this pattern of development;
     [Bill No. 98, 1975]
  - 2. the cost with respect to its consumption and use of prime agricultural land, critical watershed areas, mineral extractive sites, as well as of other important natural resource areas; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
  - 3. the cost of future development opportunities due to the fact that viable, rational alternatives will be lost totally or comprised significantly by the present form of development; [Bill No. 98, 1975]

shall not in itself b sufficient grounds to reclassify property. [Bill No. 98, 1975]

1A00.4--Plans and Plats. [Bill No. 98-75]

Development Plans and Final Subdivision Plats shall be required in the manner prescribed under subsection 1801.3 and for the purpose of this subsection all references to D.R. zones shall include the R.C. zones. [Bill No. 98, 1975]

1A00.5-Application to tract divided by zone boundary. [Bill No. 98-75]

Whenever a single tract is divided by a zone boundary so that portions of such a tract lie within R.C. zones of different classifications, the total number of dwellings or density units permitted shall apply to each tract individually and for the purpose of these regulations shall be considered as separate parcels. [Bill No. 98. 1975]

Section 1A01--R.C. 2 (AGRICULTURAL) ZONES [Bill No. 98-75]

1A01.1--General provisons. [Bill No. 98-75]

- A. Legislative Statement of Findings.
  - 1. Declaration of findings. It is found:
    - a. that Baltimore County is fortunate in that it is endowed with a variety of very productive agricultural soil types which should not be lost unnecessarily to urbanized development; [Bill No. 98, 1975.]
    - b. that the agricultural industry is an integral part of the Baltimore economy and that a continued conversion of agricultural land will continue to undermine this basic industry; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
    - c. that scattered development is occurring in a sporadic fashion in areas of Baltimore County containing productive agricultural land; [Bill No. 98-75]
    - d. that continued urban intrusion into productive agricultural areas not only destroys the specific area upon which the development occurs

#### **AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT made this Down day of January, 1990, by and between Chesapeake Equities Organization, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "Chesapeake" or "Seller" and L. Myrton Gaines, hereinafter referred to as "Gaines" or "Buyer".

WHEREAS, Chesapeake owns approximately 184 acres on the north or west side of Black Rock Road in the Fifth Election District of Baltimore County, and

WHEREAS, by Contract of Sale dated of even date herewith, Gaines has agreed to purchase 28 acres more or less all as more clearly defined on a plat attached hereto and more fully identified as Lot 1 of Exhibit A, and

WHEREAS, it was the condition precedent to the execution of this Agreement that the parties hereto execute the aforesaid Contract of Sale.

NOW, THEREFORE witnesseth in consideration of execution of this Agreement and other good and valuable considerations the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Chesapeake agrees that the remaining parcel of land containing approximately 156 acres of land, more or less, as shown on the attached plat will not be subdivided into more than seven (7) other parcels, as more fully identified as Lots 2 through 8 of Exhibit A. Seller agrees to use its best efforts to obtain Baltimore County approval of Exhibit A. Buyer agrees to cooperate with Seller in this effort. Seller reserves the right to make reasonable adjustments in lot lines so long as the character of sub-division is not altered. In the event the above mentioned sub-division plan is not approved in a form similar to Exhibit A, Seller may elect to re-subdivide the property in accordance with Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations. If it becomes necessary to re-subdivide the property as a result of the inability to have the subdivision shown as Exhibit A approved, Seller agrees to prohibit the construction of any residential dwellings in the cross-hatched area of Lot 2 as shown on Exhibit A unless otherwise agreed to by the owners of Lot 1. This restriction will survive closing and run with the land. The record plat and the Covenants and Restrictions for this property will reflect this Agreement. (This Exhibit A is similar to, but not identical to the plat attached to the Contract of Sale and identified as Addendum No. 1 to the aforesaid Contract of Sale and identified as Addendum No. 1

of Gaines' parcel, the approximate location of said drive is shown in green on the attached plat.

- 4. Chesapeake agrees to install no permanent advertising or subdivision signs along Black Rock Road excluding only temporary real estate "for sale" signs indicating the availability of Lots 2 through 8.
- 5. Chesapeake agrees that no street lights will be installed along the right of way excluding such as might be required by Baltimore County.
- 6. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to prevent Gaines from further subdivision of Parcel 1 as allowed by the Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations as they might be enacted from time to time.
- 7. Gaines agrees that he will grant and assign his density rights in that portion of Lot 1 as is contained in the RC-2 Zone as required by Baltimore County in order to permit Seller to obtain a recorded subdivision plat of eight (8) residential density lots.
- 8. Items I through 7 hereof are deemed to be Restrictive Covenants on the further development of the 156 acre parcel owned by Chesapeake; to run with the land and not solely personal to the parties hereto; shall be in perpetuity and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County unless the terms hereof are incorporated in other Restrictive Covenants included in a subdivision of the parcel owned by Chesapeake.
- 9. Chesapeake hereby grants unto Gaines the right of first refusal to purchase that portion of Lot 2 as identified in pink on the attached exhibit, lying adjacent to the southern boundary of Gaines' property and along a portion of the northern boundary of the right of way or entry way to be constructed to serve Lots 3 through 8. Unless the Buyer exercises his right to purchase additional acreage, this right shall expire ten (10) days after Seller notifies Buyer in writing of Seller's receipt of an offer for Lot 2 which is accepatable to Seller. The purchase price for such parcel shall be established by Seller. This right of first refusal shall be renewed in the event such sale by Seller is not consummated. (This restriction to be personal to the parties hereto and not to run with the land).

THIS AGREEMENT is to survive settlement and execution of a deed for the aforesaid 28 acre parcel identified as Lot 1 and not to merge in the deed.

THIS AGREEMENT shall be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first above written.

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CHESAPEAKE EQUITIES ORGANIZATION, INC,

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## <u>DECLARATION OF</u> COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS

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#### COOPERFIELD

THIS DECLARATION OF COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS made this 26th day of December , 1989, by Gaylord Brooks Realty Company, hereinafter called the "Declarant".

#### RECITALS

- (A) The Declarant is the owner, in fee simple, of the tract of land lying in the Tenth Election District of Baltimore County, Maryland, containing approximately ninety eight (98) acres of land, as shown on the Plat entitled Cooperfield, (hereinafter referred to as the "Plat"), which Plat is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. 60, Folio 142 and as hereafter referred to as Cooperfield.
- (B) The Declarant, for the purposes of creating and maintaining a general scheme of development and for the protection of the economic interest of the Declarant, desires that the aforesaid lots be subject to the covenants, conditions and restrictions hereinafter set forth, for the benefit of the Declarant, and the future owners of all Lots in the Development.
- (C) The purpose of the Covenants and Restrictions is to enhance the quality of the Subdivision, as hereafter defined, and to support maximum property value for the Declarant and future property owners. To further these purposes, the Declarant and each Lot Owner, as hereafter defined, has the individual right, but not any obligation to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions against any violation by means as provided herein or by appropriate legal proceedings. The Declarant has no legal obligation to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions but may selectively act to further its own best interests. Any Lot Owner has the right to retain legal counsel to enforce any of the Covenants and Restrictions.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Declarant for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby declares that all the aforesaid tract of land known as Cooperfield shall be subject to the covenants, restrictions, conditions and reservations hereinafter set forth.

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#### ARTICLE I - DEFINITIONS

The following words, when used in this Declaration, shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "The Property" shall mean and refer to all the real property shown on the Record Plat referred to above.
- (b) "Lot" shall mean and refer to those properties designated as Lots 1 through 13 on the aforesaid Plat.
- (c) "Dwelling" shall mean and refer to any building or portion of a building situated upon the Property and designated and intended for use and occupancy as a residence by a single family.
- (d) "Developer" or "Declarant" shall mean and refer to Gaylord Brooks Realty Company and its successors and assigns.
- (e) "Lot Owner" shall mean and refer to every person, group of persons, corporation, trust or other legal entity, or any combination thereof, who holds legal title to a Lot in the Subdivision, provided, that (a) no Lessee (other than a Lessee under a 99 year lease creating a ground rent of such Lot), and (b) no Mortgagee or Trustee under a Deed of Trust of any Lot shall be deemed to be a Lot Owner unless and until such Mortgagee or Trustee acquires of record the Mortgagor's or Grantor's equity of redemption in said Lot.
- (f) "Subdivision" shall mean the final Subdivision of Cooperfield as recorded among the Plat Records of Baltimore County; or as amended in accordance with this Declaration.
- (g) "Plans and Specifications" shall mean engineering site plans, landscape plans, and architectural working drawings and any other supporting documents which may be required by the Developer.

## ARTICLE II - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO DECLARATION AND MUTUALITY OF BENEFIT

SECTION 1. Property. The real property which is and shall be held, conveyed, hypothecated or encumbered, sold, leased, rented, used, occupied and improved subject to these restrictive covenants is located in Baltimore County, State of Maryland, and is more particularly designated on the Plat.

SECTION 2. Benefit. The restrictions and agreements set forth herein are made for the mutual and reciprocal benefit of each and every Lot in the Subdivision and are intended to create mutual, equitable servitudes upon each of said Lots in favor of each and all of the other Lots therein; to create reciprocal rights between the respective owners of all of said Lots; to create a privity of contract and estate between the grantees of said Lots, their heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns, and shall, as to the owner of each such Lot, his heirs, personal representatives, successors or assigns, operate as covenants running with the land for the benefit of each and all other Lots in the Subdivision and their respective owners.

#### ARTICLE III - UTILITIES

SECTION 1. <u>Utility Easements</u>. Easements along all property lines extending from the property line into each Lot for a width of five feet (5') are hereby reserved by the Declarant for the installation and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities. All additional easements reserved for those purposes are as shown on the Plat. In addition thereto, the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company, C & P Telephone Company and any cable television company operating in Baltimore County shall have the right to place upon the Lots, at such locations as may be deemed necessary by them, electrical transformers, transformer pads, telephone pedestals, and television cable. The aforesaid companies shall also have the right to use the Roadway System for purposes of maintaining their respective distribution systems. No structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain upon any Lot which may damage or interfere with any easement for the installation or maintenance of utilities, or which may unreasonably change, obstruct or retard direction or flow of any drainage channels. The Declarant reserves the right to place fencing within said easements as is desirable in its discretion, provided however, that such fencing shall not interfere with said easements.

#### ARTICLE IV - ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

SECTION 1. <u>Purpose</u>. No building, fence, wall, hedge or other structure shall be constructed on any Lot until the Plans and Specifications, including color scheme and a grading plan showing the location of the structure, have been approved in writing by Gaylord Brooks Architectural Committee, Inc. ("GBAC") or its assignee. No later changes or additions after initial approval thereof or remodeling or reconstruction shall commence until such has also been approved in writing by GBAC or its assignee. Before commencement of construction, the owners of Lots shall present their Plans and Specifications to GBAC together with a non-refundable fee of One Hundred Dollars

(\$100.00) covering the cost of reviewing the Plans and Specifications. Plans and Specifications must be acted on by GBAC within thirty (30) days after submission. If GBAC fails to act on said Plans and Specifications within said thirty (30) day period after submission, the Plans and Specifications shall automatically be approved. GBAC shall have the right to refuse approve any such Plans and Specifications, or grading and location plans, which are not suitable or desirable, in its opinion, for aesthetic or other reasons, and in so passing upon such plans, specifications, or grading or location plans, it shall have the right to take into consideration the suitability of the proposed building or other structure, the materials of which it is built, the site upon which it shall be erected, the harmony thereof with the surroundings and the effect of the building or other structure on the roadway as planned and the view from the adjacent or neighboring properties. In the event of the failure of the purchaser or purchasers of Lots in Cooperfield to obtain or to comply with the required prior written approval of plans, specifications, and grading studies as established in this paragraph, said purchasers hereby agree to reimburse GBAC or its assigns for all costs and expenses to which it may be put as a result of said failure, including but not limited to court costs and attorney's fees, and to bear all expenses necessary to conform any improvements to approved status including costs of demolition and reconstruction, if necessary. Any approved Dwelling constructed on said Lots shall be completed in every exterior detail within twelve (12) months from date of beginning such construction. Material samples, if not retrieved by the Lot Owner, will be disposed of ten (10) days following approval.

SECTION 2. Liability. Neither GBAC, nor any architect or agent thereof shall be responsible in any way for any defects in any Plans and Specifications submitted, revised or approved in accordance with the foregoing provisions, nor for any structural or other defects in any work done according to such Plans and Specifications.

#### ARTICLE V - USE AND BUILDING RESTRICTIONS

SECTION 1. Land Use. Lots as shown on the Plat shall be used for private residential purposes only and no Dwelling shall be erected, altered, or placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one detached Dwelling, said Dwelling designed for single-family occupancy. Single-family occupancy shall not be construed to prevent the erection of a Dwelling with an attached apartment or living area for use by a Lot Owner or members of the owner's family. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the use of part of a Lot as a right of way for use by other Lots within the Subdivision or adjoining property. Residential use shall not bar a home office use of the Property provided the Owner of said

Lot complies with the applicable zoning regulations of Baltimore County. Private residential use shall not prohibit acquisition of the property for investment purposes or for acquisition by a contiguous property owner who does not intend to erect a residential dwelling in the immediate future. Any tenant under a lease of any of the Property for a period of less than ninety nine (99) years, although not a Lot Owner, shall be bound by all of the use and building restrictions contained herein.

### SECTION 2. Building Restrictions.

- (a) No structure of a temporary character, such as, but not limited to, a trailer, shack, or tent, shall be placed or used on any of the Lots as a residence or for storage, or as an auxiliary building, either temporarily or permanently, except that a temporary structure may be placed or used thereon if used and operated solely in connection with the construction of permissible permanent improvements; provided, however, that such temporary structure shall be removed from the premises within thirty (30) days after completion of the construction of the permissible permanent improvements; and provided, further, that such structure be removed within a period of twelve (12) months from the date of its original construction, whichever shall occur first.
- (b) Attached two car garages are required unless specifically waived in writing by GBAC.
- (c) No recreational vehicles, such as, but not limited to, boats, campers, motor homes, and tent vehicles, may be parked or kept on any Lot without first obtaining the written approval of GBAC herein, which approval shall be revocable by GBAC. No motorized bikes or similar type recreational vehicles may be operated on any Lot.
- (d) No live poultry, hogs or other similar livestock shall be kept on any Lot. Horses and/or cows may be kept on any Lot provided however that the number of horses and/or cows so kept is in accordance with applicable Baltimore County Zoning Regulations and that they are properly housed and cared for and are restricted to the owner's Property. Written approval of GBAC must be obtained prior to the keeping of horses and/or cows, which approval shall be revocable by GBAC. A maximum of two (2) dogs and two (2) cats is permitted by right, provided that they are properly housed and cared for and are restricted to the owner's Property. Written approval from GBAC is required for dogs and cats in excess of this number, which approval shall be revocable by GBAC.
- (e) Owners of Lots shall be responsible for providing driveway access to their homes from the paved portion of the public road or common driveway abutting the owner's Lot as

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interfere with their rights as contained therein, and as such, object to the proposed three lot agricultural subdivision.

It goes without saying, however, that if Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. can reach an agreement with the Dorseys on terms and conditions that would be acceptable to the Dorseys, then obviously they would withdraw their objection.

I would, therefore, appreciate your making this follow up correspondence part of the record of these proceedings.

Very truly yours,

Anthony P. Palaigos

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cc: Steve Nolan, Esquire
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Matilda and James H. Dorsey

designated on the Plats. All driveways shall be paved with a hard durable surface, such as macadam, tar and chip, concrete or other similar material. Paving shall be completed one (1) year from the date of commencement of construction of the Dwelling on said Lot.

NO BERM SHALL BE ALLOWED ALONG THE DIVISION LINE BETWEEN THE PUBLIC ROAD AND LOT WHICH WILL IN ANYWAY INHIBIT THE WATER COURSE INTENDED IN THE APPROVED ROAD DESIGN.

NOTE: COMMON DRIVEWAYS CONSTRUCTED BY DEVELOPER ARE NOT TO BE ALTERED WITHOUT THE EXPRESS WRITTEN PERMISSION OF THE DECLARANT HEREIN.

- (f) All Lots in Cooperfield shall be kept free from rubbish and trash of any kind, clean and with lawns, including the area between the lot line and the paved portion of the road, neatly mowed a minimum of three (3) times per growing season, so that grass and weeds do not exceed eight (8) inches in height. In the event the owners of any Lot(s) do not so maintain their Lot(s), the Declarant or its employees shall have the right to enter upon said Lot to cut or remove the grass, weeds, rubbish or trash, and the Owner of any Lot or parcel so benefitted shall pay reasonable charges for such services as is determined by the Declarant or its designee.
- (g) No future facilities, including poles and wires for the transmission of electricity, telephone and the like shall be placed or maintained above the surface of the ground on any Lot; and no external or outside antennae towers or television discs of any kind shall be erected without the prior written approval of GBAC or its duly authorized representative(s). Developer reserves the right to install utility poles, wires and the like above ground as it deems necessary in providing utility service to any Lot.
- (h) No more than seven thousand (7,000) square feet of wooded area on any Lot or parcel may be cleared without the express authorization of the Declarant.
- (i) No sign or other advertising device of any nature shall be placed on any Lot advertising the said Lot or the improvements thereon as being for sale unless approved in writing by the Declarant. This restriction shall terminate on April 1, 1991.
- (j) No change in ground level may be made on any Lot in excess of one foot in height over existing grades without the written approval of the Declarant obtained prior to the commencement of work.
- (k) No vehicle shall be parked on any street in the Subdivision. No truck of any type shall be parked for storage overnight or longer on any Lot in the Subdivision in such a

manner as to be visible to the occupants of other Lots in the Subdivision or the users of any street within the Subdivision, unless the prior written approval of the Declarant has been obtained, which approval may be revoked by the Declarant at any time.

- (1) Any Dwelling or outbuilding on any Lot in the Subdivision which may be destroyed in whole or in any part by fire, windstorm or for any other cause or act of God must be rebuilt or all debris removed and the Lot restored to a sightly condition with reasonable promptness, provided, however, that in no event shall such debris remain on the Lot for more than sixty (60) days.
- (m) No fuel tanks of any kind, excepting tanks for heating oil, shall be buried on any Lot.
- (n) A construction entrance twelve feet by fifty feet (12' x 50') must be built on each Lot by the Lot Owner prior to construction and shall consist of not less than eight inches (8") of crushed stone and shall be maintained during construction to minimize sediment runoff and damage to the road system adjacent to the construction site.

DAMAGE TO THE ROAD SYSTEM RESULTING FROM IMPROPERLY INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCES SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE LOT OWNER.

- SECTION 3. <u>Environmental Control</u>. The Declarant has entered into an agreement with the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management to adhere to the following "Water Quality Best Management Practices" and, by the acceptance of a Deed conveying any Lot, the Owner thereof covenants to adhere to the same:
- (a) All areas except that used for buildings, sidewalks and paving, will be planted with vegetated cover and/or landscaped as soon as possible after final grading and maintained in such condition.
- (b) Dirt and debris accumulating on private roads will be removed according to the following schedule: May through October, concurrent with grass mowing; November through April, as required.
- (c) Snow removal will be by mechanical means except in severe snow and ice conditions, when deicing compounds may be used.
- (d) Application of fertilizers, herbicides and pesticides will not exceed recommendations of the University of Maryland Cooperative Extension Service.

(e) Filling will not occur in grassed or lined drainage ditches or swales.

#### ARTICLE VI - GENERAL

- SECTION 1. Provisions to Run With The Land. The provisions herein contained shall run with and bind the land and shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by the Declarant or the Owner of any part of said land included in the Plat, their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns. Failure by the Declarant, or any such owner or owners to enforce any restriction, condition, covenant or agreement herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter as to the same breach or as to one occuring prior or subsequent thereto.
- SECTION 2. Term and Amendment. These restrictions shall inure to the benefit of and shall be enforceable by the Declarant and any Lot Owner, their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns until April 1, 2014. From and after April 1, 2014, the easements created by Articles III, IV and V hereof shall continue in full force and effect in perpetuity. After April 1, 2014, the remaining provisions in this Declaration (with the exception of Articles III, IV and V) may be amended and/or terminated in their entirety by an instrument signed by not less than sixty-seven percent (67%) of the Lot Owners entitled to vote, which instrument shall be filed for recording among the Land Records of Baltimore County, Maryland or in such other place of recording as may be appropriate at the time of the execution of such instrument.
- SECTION 3. <u>Invalidation</u>. Invalidation of any of these covenants, agreements, restrictions or conditions by judgement or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.
- SECTION 4. <u>Limitation</u>. These restrictions shall apply to the Lots as shown on the aforesaid Plat entitled Cooperfield and shall not be binding on any other property of the Declarant, its successors and assigns.

#### SECTION 5. Subdivision.

(a) No Lot shall be split, divided, or subdivided for sale, resale, gift, transfer or otherwise, after acquisition from the Declarant. With respect to any of said Lots while owned by the Declarant, the Declarant expressly reserves the right to alter property lines, to alter setback lines, to alter any easements, and to otherwise revise the aforesaid Subdivision Plat and/or Development Plan of Cooperfield in any respect subject to

applicable Baltimore County regulations and requirements. And in connection therewith, the Declarant further reserves the right to modify the Subdivision Plat and/or Development Plan as filed with Baltimore County, Maryland, as to any Lots to be resubdivided.
Included in this reservation is a special limited irrevocable power of attorney to sign on behalf of any interested party such waivers or consents as may be required by Baltimore County, consenting to the alteration of the Subdivision Plat and/or

(b) Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the resubdivision of Lot Nos. 12 and 13 and Tract A by the Declarant Development Plan. or subsequent owner in the event of future changes in Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. In such event, the size of any lot(s) resulting from such resubdivision shall be not less than three (3) acres. With respect to Tract A, use of Tract A as a building lot and/or resubdivision shall be allowed in the event such use and/or resubdivision is permitted by Baltimore County, either through a change in Zoning Regulations or as a result of the shifting of density from adjacent property to Tract A. Any lot(s) on or partially on Tract A resulting from such use and/or resubdivision shall be at least three (3) acres in size.

# ARTICLE VII - DEVELOPER

Reservation of Rights. The Developer reserves an easement to exercise its right at any time prior to or subsequent to conveyance of individual Lots in Cooperfield to enter upon any of the Property, to complete, in its sole discretion, development of the Property; such development including but not limited to tree cutting, and grading and filling in order to install roads, storm drains and utilities.

SECTION 2. Waiver of Restrictions and Covenants. Declarant, its successors and assigns, reserves the right to waive such portion of the Restrictions and Covenants placed on this Property as the Declarant deems necessary or in the best interest of the development as determined by the Declarant. All waivers shall be in writing and a copy thereof shall be filed with the Declarant and a copy thereof shall be available to all Lot Owners upon request.

# SECTION 3. Special Limited Power of Attorney.

SECTION 5, DECLARANT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF ANY INTERESTED PARTY OR LOT OWNER SUCH WAIVERS OR CONSENTS AS MAY BE REQUIRED BY BALTIMORE COUNTY, CONSENTING TO THE ALTERATION OF THE SUBDIVISION PLAT AND/OR DEVELOPMENT PLAN.

AS WITNESS the hand and seal of Richard A. Moore, President, Gaylord Brooks Realty Company.

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GAYLORD BROOKS REALTY COMPANY

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF BALTIMORE, to wit:

HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this 26th day of , 1989, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public T HEREBY December of the State of Maryland, County of Baltimore, personally appeared Richard A. Moore, President, Gaylord Brooks Realty Company, and he acknowledged the foregoing Declaration of Restrictions to be the act and deed of Gaylord Brooks Realty Company.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

My Commission Expires: July 1, 1990

The Mortgagee or Trustee under a Deed of Trust of the Property joins in the execution of this Declaration for the purpose of evidencing its consent thereto.

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AFTER RECORDING-RETURN TO: GAYLORD BROOKS REALTY CO. REATHA L. BURK P.O. BOX 193 PAPERMILL RD PHOENIX, Md. 21131



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ARNOLD JABLON ZONING COMMISSIONER

JEAN M. H. JUNG DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

SUBJECT:

POLICY MANUAL

DATE:

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This POLICY MANUAL is a compilation of legislative, executive, and administrative public policies. These policies are promulgated by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, pursuant to the Baltimore County Charter, §522.1, and the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, §500.8. The principles enunicated herein have the limited purposes of facilitating and improving the implementation of procedures throughout the Baltimore County Department of Planning & Zoning Administrative Offices.

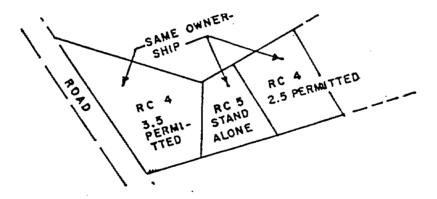
The policies organized here are subject to alteration, modification, or revision in accordance with the authority under which they are initially adopted. As such, the policies have no binding effect within a Court of law, although they may be utilized by the Courts to interpret and construe pertinent zoning regulations. Hofmeister v. Frank Realty Co., Inc., 373 A 2d 273 (1977); Farber's, Inc. v. Comptroller of the Treasury of the State of Maryland, 266 Md 44 (1972).

This Manual could not have been prepared without the experience and knowledge of James Dyer, Zoning Supervisor; Diana Itter; Douglas Swam; and Nicholas Commodari, Zoning Coordinator; and expecially without the time, effort and ability of Carl Richards.

# RSD-7 R.C. ZONES UNDER THE SAME OWNERSHIP

If R.C. zoned land <u>under the same ownership</u> is separated by a <u>different R.C. zone</u>, then the density should be calculated and utilized by each zone parcel. In the following example the R.C. 4 density would be two for one parcel and three for the other. The five lots would have to be located in the respective permitted density parcels of the property. The R.C. 5 area would be figured and utilized separately.

If R.C. zoned land is proposed to be clustered in the same zone, on the same property, across another zone, a special hearing would be required before the Zoning Commissioner. In the following example a special hearing would be required to request that six density units be permitted in the R.C. 4 zone and/or that three units be permitted on the 2.5 density units parcel.



If R.C. zoned land under the same ownership is divided by a public road, parcels on both sides of the road should be figured separately for density as if they were separate recorded lots, the density may not be transferred or accumulated across the roads, unless;

In the judgement of the Zoning Supervisor and/or the Commissioner, a special hearing may be applied for to transfer or accumulate density across a road.

#### RSD-10 SUBDIVIDING R.C.2 ZONED LAND

Subdivision or further subdividing of legally existing R.C.-2 zoned parcels prior to Bill 178-79 (effective 11/25/79) is permitted in accordance with the present R.C.-2 zoning regulations, provided that:

- A. The parcels are separately described in a recorded deed.
- B. The parcels recorded met the existing zoning regulations at that time.

If the property is recorded by multiple deeds or the deed contains multiple parcels, or the subdivision needs further clairification, the following may be required:

- A. To properly identify the parcels, a property plat should be prepared listing and color coding each parcel according to the description in the deed.
- B. The plats, deeds, and other supporting documentation should be prepared and certified by either a land surveyor, registered professional engineer or title attorney.
- C. All of the above information and documents should be submitted for review at least two weeks prior to zoning approval or CRG.

When legally existing parcels or deeds qualify to be subdivided or resubdivided, each separate parcel must be subdivided individually. The right to divide or the density cannot be transferred from one lot to another, accumulated, or clustered in an R.C.2 zone, unless a public hearing is held by the Zoning Commissioner.

See 85-104SPH; 85-281SPH

## BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

#### Inter-office Correspondence

90-4925AHA

TO: Mr. J. Robert Haines
Zoning Commissioner

FROM: Mr. Robert W. Sheesley

SUBJECT: Special Hearing - Black Pine Farm

Item #344

DATE: June 26, 1990

PETITIONER'S
EXHIBIT 14

On behalf of the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management I have reviewed the proposed development plat regarding Black Pine Farm dated March 20, 1990 submitted in conjunction with the Special Hearing Petition involving lot line adjustments and variances. The review of the proposed development has been undertaken to determine the plan's consistency with County Council Bill #134-89 and the related policy prepared and administered by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management.

The eight proposed lots are well under the number permitted by the RC-2 and RC-4 zoning existing on the property which, based on the developer's calculation, is 27 total lots. Additionally, the proposed number of lots is well within the 21 lots permitted under the policy protecting prime and productive soils. The reduction of six lots reflects the loss of density within the RC-4 zoning because of the existence of prime and productive soils within the RC-4 zoned area of the farm.

The location, to the degree shown, of any proposed lots involving new houses is acceptable in regard to the prime and productive soil policy, albeit, lots IV - VII are generally located on productive or Class III soils. These lot locations are deemed consistent with the prime and productive soil policy because they are located in a woodland and are, therefore, not disruptive of tillable farmland or pasture areas and they are generally consistent with the 60,000 square feet maximum lot size. Similarly, the larger "agricultural" lots are consistent in a general sense with the 50 acre minimum size requirement referenced with the prime and productive soil policy.

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management recognizes that this farm property is located in a significant agricultural area of Baltimore County. It is defined by the <u>Baltimore County Master Plan 1990-2000</u> as being located within an "Agricultural Preservation Area". Additionally, it is virtually surrounded by farms which are official or proposed Agricultural Districts under the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Program or are preserved through easement agreements with the Maryland Environmental Trust. It is, therefore, essential that in order to reduce any destabilization of this agricultural community from this proposed development, the following conditions be made part of any order approving this petition and accompanying plan:

Mr. J. Robert Haines June 26, 1990 Page 2

- No further subdivision of any lot be permitted. 1)
- An application be made within two years to place the entire property 2) as an Agricultural District under the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Program or a similar preservation program prior to the sale of any parcel or lot or that deed covenants requiring participation be included for all of the farm's large parcels or lots.
- The proposed road be private rather than public and not exceed a 3) width of 16 feet of open section. No street lights should be permitted.
- Tree removal should be restricted so as not to exceed 17.5% of lots 4) IV to VII.
- Any additional restrictions deemed necessary by the Zoning 5) Commissioner in order to maintain the aesthetics of a farm environment on the subject property as well as restrictions on disruptive uses such as all terrain vehicles (ATV's).

Should you have any questions or need additional information regarding these comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 2904.

> est w Sheer beg Robert W. Sheesley, Director

Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management

RWS:PJS:tjg

cc: Mr. P. David Fields Mr. Donald C. Outen Mrs. Janice B. Outen Mr. Paul J. Solomon

LAW OFFICES

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WRITER'S DIRECT DIAL

(301) 385-4027

August 26, 1991

#### HAND DELIVERED

William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 315 County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

Case No. 90-492-SPHA

Subject: Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

SWS of Black Rock Road, 800 ft. SE of

Benson Mill Road, Fifth Election District, Third Councilmanic District My Clients: James Henderson Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey, 3737 Millender Mill Road

Baltimore, Maryland 21155 Our File No. 10399(1)

Dear Mr. Hackett:

Please be advised that this office represents James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey, his wife, (the "Dorseys") who reside at 3737 Millender Mill Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21155.

I was only most recently advised of the hearing scheduled in the above captioned matter for Tuesday, August 27, 1991 in reference to a proposal for an agricultural district subdivision consisting of a total of three lots proposed by Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. ("Chesapeake").

The purpose of this letter is to introduce my clients, the Dorseys, as interested persons to these proceedings and to specifically request that you include this letter as part of the record of the aforementioned proceedings.

Specifically, it is the Dorseys' understanding that the proposal before the Board of Appeals in this matter is to create an agricultural district subdivision of a total of three lots by the Petitioner, Chesapeake. It is Dorseys' further understanding that access to these three lots will be by virtue of a private right-of-way from Black Rock Road. Based on the foregoing

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#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

J. Robert Haines

DATE: June 15, 1990

Zoning Commissioner

FROM:

Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., Item No. 344

This farm is within an agricultural preservation area as indicated by the 1989 Master Plan. It is essential that this petition not be granted if it will conflict with the policies provided for in that plan (see enclosure).

The Petitioner's have indicated that this plan will be a final development plan with no further subdivision. It is necessary, however, that perspective landowners purchase the properties with the development rights and then be able to sell them to a suitable land trust.

In summary, there must be grantees that the land will not be further subdivided. Given these considerations, the office submits the following recommendation:

The office supports this petition with the following restrictions:

- That the access road be a panhandle road that meets Fire Department approval but built to minimum standards, preferably 16 ft. in width;
- 2.) That there be covenants recorded that the maintenance and repair of this road be at the expense of the property owners and that it will not be appropriate for Baltimore County to assume this responsibility;
- That the covenants permit farm vehicles to cross the panhandle road at locations appropriate for efficient farming activities;
- 4.) That the covenants inform the property owners that the area is a preferred agriculture area and that smells, noises, chemical usage, etc. associated with the industry are to be expected to occur;

Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., Item No. 344 Page 2 June 15, 1990

- 5.) That the covenants require landowners to participate in the sale of agricultural easements to the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Program or other suitable program within two (2) years of the approval of the petition; and
- 6.) That in the event that easements are not sold to an appropriate land trust entity, the land shall not be further subdivided.

If there should be any further questions or if this office can provide additional information, please contact Jeffrey Long in the Office of Planning at 887-3211.

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FETITIONER'S EXHIBIT 16

January 6, 1990

I Carroll Price, agree to rent the tillable acres on Black Pine Farm, located on Blackrock Rd., from William Boucher for the sum of \$40.00 per acre.

N rerk testing is to be done while crops are growing.

Carrell Price

239-8234

William Boucher

771-4337

Mike Murphy

332-0770

Petitioner's EX17

#### COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND Legislative Session 1989, Legislative Day No. 16 BILL NO. 134-89

Mr. William R. Evans, Councilman By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, September 5, 1989

#### A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

Development Regulations-Agricultural Preservation

FOR the purpose of preserving agricultural lands and protecting prime and productive soils in the development process.

BY adding

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Section 22-37(b) (5) Division 1

Section 22-39 new definition "Prime and Productive Soils" Division 1

Section 22-99(c) Division 3

BY repealing and reenacting with amendments

Section 22-55(b)(3) Division 2

All of Article IV. Title 22 "Planning, Zoning and Subdivision Control" Baltimore County County, 1978, 1987 Cumulative Supplement as amended

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the County Council of Baltimore 1. County, Maryland, that Sections 22-37(b) (5), 22-39 new definition 2. "Prime and Productive Soils, and 22-99 (c), be and they are hereby added to Article IV. title "Planning, Zoning and Subdivision Control" of the Baltimore County Code, 1978, 1987 Cumulative Supplement, to read as follows: 6. 7.

Sec. 22-37. Development policies.

(b) These regulations are intended to protect and promote public health, safety and welfare and to ensure provision for public

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law. Strike-out indicates matter stricken from bill. Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

- facilities, services and amenities. To this end, these regulations are designed and intended to ensure the safety, adequacy and convenience of proposed provisions for the following:
- 4. (5) PRESERVATION OF AGRICULTURAL LANDS, INCLUDING ADEQUACY OF
  5. PROTECTION OF PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE SOILS FROM INAPPROPRIATE DEVELOPMENT.
- Sec. 22-39. Definitions.
- 7. As used in these regulations, the following words and terms have the meaning indicated:
- 9. PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE SOILS MEANS SOIL TYPES DEFINED IN THE

  10. U.S.D.A. SOIL SURVEY OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, ISSUED MARCH 1976 AND AS

  11. UPDATED, AS AGRICULTURAL CAPABILITY CLASSES I, II OR III OR AS WOODLAND

  12. CLASSES 1 OR 2.
- 13. Sec. 22-99. Slope protection and soils.
- 14. (c) ON PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE SOILS WITHIN THE R.C. ZONES, EXCEPT

  15. WITHIN THE R.C.5 ZONE, NO PLAN OR PLAT MAY BE APPROVED UNLESS THE

  16. COUNTY FINDS THAT CONSTRUCTION, EXCAVATIONS, BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES,

  17. PAVEMENTS, GRADING, CLEARING OR OTHER DISTURBANCES OF THE SOILS WILL BE

  18. LIMITED OR RESTRICTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH POLICIES ESTABLISHED BY THE

  19. DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT TO
- 20. PROMOTE AGRICULTURAL USES AND PROTECT BALTIMORE COUNTY'S SOIL RESOURCES.
- THIS REGULATION SHALL APPLY TO ALL DEVELOPMENT EXCEPT SUCH DEVELOP-
- 22. MENT WHICH HAS BEEN ACCEPTED FOR FILING UNDER SECTION 22-56 BY THE
- DEPARIMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS PRIOR TO OCTOBER 1, 1989.
- 24. SECTION 2. Be it further enacted, that Section 22-55(b)(3), Division
- 25. 2, Article IV. of the Baltimore County Code, 1978, 1987 Cumulative
- 26. Supplement, be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to
- 27. read as follows:
- 28. Section 22-55. Plan.
- 29. (b) The plan shall be filed with the department of public works 30. and shall contain the following information:

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1.	(3) Soil types in accordance with the soil survey, Baltimore
2.	County, Maryland(;), INCLUDING, IDENTIFICATION OF PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE
3.	SOILS;
4.	Section 3. And be it further enacted, that this bill, including
5.	all of Subsection 22-99(c) shall expire and be of no further effect on
6.	January 1, 1991.
7.	SECTION 34. And be it further enacted, that this Act
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THE ACTUAL CONSIDERATION PAID OR TO BE PAID IS \$725,000.00.

Witnesseth: that in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars, and other valuable considerations, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said Grantor does hereby grant, convey and assign unto

Grantees, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, and unto the survivor of them, his or her heirs personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

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in the State of Maryland, and described as follows, that is to say:

(See Exhibit A Attached)

L. Myrton Gaines and Mary B. Gaines, his wife, Grantees in the within Deed hereby certify under the penalties of perjury, that the land conveyed in said Deed is residentially improved owner-occupied real property and that the residence will be occupied by them.

MYRTØN GAINES

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To have and to hold the said described lots(s) of ground and premises, unto and to the use of the said

Grantees, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, and unto the servivor of them his or her heirs, personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

And the said Grantor covenants that it will warrant specially the property hereby granted and conveyed, and that it will execute such further assurances of said land as may be requisite.

Whenever used, the singular number shall include the plural, the plural the singular, and the use of any gender shall be applicable to all genders.

In Testimony Thereof, the said Grantor has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, and its Vice-President to set his hand hereto.

WITNESS:

CHESAPEAKE EQUITIES ORGANIZATION, INC.

State of Maryland,

of the Grantor Corporation.

. TO WIT:

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before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State aforesaid, personally appeared

, who acknowledged himself to be the Vice-President of the Grantor Corporation, and that he, as such Vice-President, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing, in my presence, the name of the said corporation by himself as Vice-President, and certified that this conveyance is not part of a transaction in which there is a sale, lease, exchange or other transfer of all or substantially all of the property and assets

WITNESS: my hand and Notarial Seal,

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EXHIBIT 'A'

ADJUSTED LOT 1.

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Beginning for the same at a point situate on the sust side of Black Road Read and at the beginning of a parcel of land designated tot 1 containing 39.33 Acres and described in a deed dated January 5, 1989 and recorded on ng the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio St while pas conveyed by H. Sbeker Lott, 111 to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. and rurning thence with and binding on the first line of said parcel of land and binding in the bed of Black Rock Road, as the courses are referred to the true meridian, South 14 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds East 34.16 feet to a point in said road and to the beginning of a parcel of land designated Lot 2 containing 4.11 Acres and described in the aforesaid deed, thence leaving said road and binding reversely on the last and second lines of said Lot 2 and running with and binding on the second and third lines of said first mentioned parcel of land designated Lot 1, the two following courses and distances viz: South 48 degrees 39 minutes 45 seconds West 1021.20 feet and South 11 degrees 35 minutes 27 seconds West 581.21 feet to an old pipe in a field heretofore set at the end of said third line and at the beginning of the fourth or South 71 degrees 29 minutes 42 seconds West 644.83 foot line of a parcel of land firstly described in a deed dated March 14, 1986 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr. No. 7114 Folio 576 which was conveyed by Arthur L. Shreve III and wife to H. Stokes Lott III, thence running for a line of division through said Lot 1, containing 39.33 Acres and binding for a part on said fourth line, South 62 degrees 57 minutes 56 seconds West 711.19 feet to intersect the ninth or North 46 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West 163.09 foot line of said Lot 1 at a point distant North 46 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West 51.56 feet from a pipe heretofore set at the beginning thereof and thence running with and binding on a part of said ninth line and running with and binding on the tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth and last lines of said Lot 1 which was conveyed by Lott to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. the eight following courses and distances viz: North 46 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West 111.53 feet to a pipe, North 47 degrees 40 minutes 37 second West 195.47 feet to a pipe, North 46 degrees 26 minutes 35 seconds West 287.94 feet to a pipe, North 47 degrees 55 minutes 20 seconds West 149.95 feet to a pipe, North 45 degrees 14 minutes 18 seconds West 126.38 feet to a pipe, North 68 degrees 07 minutes 42 seconds East 55.58 feet to a concrete monument, North 65 degrees 04 minutes 26 seconds East 1,321.57 feet and North 64 degrees 30 minutes 26 seconds East 989.59 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing 24.167 Acres of land more or less.

Being part of a parcel of land firstly described and designated Lot 1 in a deed dated January 5, 1989 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio 87 which was conveyed by H. Stokes Lott III to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

LOT 2:

All that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as follows to wit:

Beginning for the same at a point in the bed of Black Road Road at the beginning of a parcel of land designated Lot 2 containing 4.11 Acres and described in a deed dated January 5, 1989 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio 87 which was conveyed by H. Stokes Lott III to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., and thence leaving said road and running with and binding on the first line of said Lot 2 as the courses are referred to the true meridian, South 35 degrees 23 minutes 12 seconds West 1525.71 feet to an old pipe in a field and thence running with and binding on the second and last lines of Lot 2 and binding reversely on the third and second lines of a parcel of land designated Lot 1 containing 39.33 Acres and described in said deed from Lott to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., to two following courses and distances viz: North 11 degrees 35 minutes 27 seconds East 581.21 feet and North 48 degrees 39 minutes 45 seconds East 1021.20 feet to the place of beginning.

assumptions, the Dorseys' position with respect to the three lot agricultural district subdivision proposed by Chesapeake is as follows:

- 1. The Dorseys currently are record title owners of certain unimproved land ("Dorsey Property") behind and adjoining the Chesapeake Property, pursuant to a certain Deed dated the 14th day of March, 1986 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber No. 7114, folio 573.
- 2. That a certain Deed of Easement dated April 9, 1990 was executed by and between Chesapeake and the Dorseys, and is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber No. 8694, folio 162, which granted and conveyed to the Dorseys a non-exclusive right-of-way for vehiclular ingress and egress, 50 feet wide, from Black Rock Road to the Dorsey Property, as more particularly described and shown on a plat prepared by Gerhold, Cross & Etzel dated April 5, 1990, a copy of which plat is attached to the aforementioned Deed of Easement.
- 3. That a certain Right-of-Way Sharing Agreement ("Sharing Agreement") dated December 8, 1990 was executed by and between Chesapeake and the Dorseys, and is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber No. 8694, folio 168, which sets forth, among other things, the terms and conditions of the shared use of the right-of-way granted to the Dorseys pursuant to the Deed of Easement previously mentioned in Paragraph 2 of this letter.
- 4. The Sharing Agreement specifically provided, among other things, that (a) Chesapeake and its successors and assigns shall not in any way or manner physically obstruct, impede or interfere with Dorseys use of the right-of-way described in the Deed of Easement, and (b) that Chesapeake and its successors and assigns, in its use of their real property, shall not in any way or manner interfere with , prohibit or restrict the Dorseys use of the right-of-way described in the Deed of Easement in connection with their use of the Dorsey Property, as more particularly described in the Sharing Agreement.
- 5. So long as Chesapeake's proposed three lot agricultural district subdivision does not in any way interfere with or otherwise affect in any manner any and all rights that the Dorseys have, pursuant to their use of the right-of-way, as described in the Deed of Easement and pursuant to the Sharing Agreement, or in any way interfere with or otherwise affect their use of the aforesaid right-of-way in their use of the Dorsey Property, as more particularly described in the Sharing Agreement, then they would not have any specific opposition to this proposal of Chesapeake, or any use of the Chesapeake property consistent with an agricultural district classification. Any

Being all and the same parcel of land secondly described and designated Lot 2 in a deed date! January 5, 1989 and recorded among the Lund Rosanda of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio 87 which was conveyed by H. Stokes Lott III to Coesabeake Equity Organization, Inc.

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between the sapeake Equities Organization, Ing., hereinafter referred to as "Chesapeake" or "Seller" and L. Myrton Gaines, hereinafter referred to as "Caines"

WHEREAS, Chesaneake owns approximately 184 acres on the north or west side of black hock hock in the field discussion. District of Baltimore County, and

WHEREAS, by Contract of Sale dated of even date herewith Gaines has agreed to purchase 28 acres more or less all as more clearly defined on a plat attached horeto and more fully identified as not 1, of Exhibit A and

WHEREAS, it was the condition precedent to the execution of this Agreement that the parties hereto execute the aforesaid Contract of Sale.

NOW, THEREFORE witnesseth in consideration of execution of this Agreement and other good and valuable considerations the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge the parties hereto agree

Chesapeake agrees the remaining parcel of land containing approximately 156 acres of land, more or less, as shown on the attached plat will not be subdivided into more than seven (7) other parcels, as more fully identified as Lots 2 through 8 of Exhibit A. Seller agrees to use its best efforts to obtain Baltimore County approval of Exhibit A. Buyer agrees to cooperate with Seller in this effort. Seller reserves the right to make reasonable adjustments in lot lines so long as the character of sub-division is not altered. the event the above mentioned sub-division plan in not approved in a form similar to Exhibit A, Seller may elect to resubdivide the property in accordance with Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations. If it becomes necessary to re-subdivide the property as a result of the inability to have the subdivision shown as Exhibit A approved, Seller agrees to prohibit the construction of any residential dwellings in the cross-hatched area of Lot 2 as shown on Exhibit A unless otherwise agreed to by the owners of Lot 1. This restriction will survive closing and run with the land. The record plat and the Covenants and Restrictions for this property will reflect this Agreement. (This Exhibit A is similar to, but not identical to the plat attached to the Contract of Sale and CF27.00 identified as Addendum No. 1 to the aforesaid Contractor 27.00 SH CLERK Sale.) MT9241 COO1 RO2 T10:20

Parcel No. 2 containing 46 acres of land will be 06/13/99 restricted to the placement of its residential building site on that portion of Lot No. 2 identified and colored in yellow on the attached Exhibit A. ROCTIVED FOR THANSFER THE KIEF REPORTED THE

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- ingress and egress for Lots 3 chrough the might of way for ingress and egress for Lots 3 chrough t, on Mill t and leasted 20 feet from the common or southern boundary of Gaines' parcel, the approximate location of said drive is shown in green on the attached plat.
- 4. Chesapeake agrees to install no permanent advertising or subdivisions signs along black wood word excluding outliemporary real estate "for sale" signs indicating the Lyallability of Lots 2 through S.
- 5. Chesapeake agrees that no street lights will be installed along the right of way excluding such as might be required by Paltimore County.
- 6. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to provent Gaines from further subdivision of parcel 1 as allowed by the Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations as they might be enacted from time to time.
- 7. Gaines agrees that he will grant and assign his density rights in that portion of Lot 1 as is contained in the RC2 Zone as required by Baltimore County in order to permit Seller to obtain a recorded subdivision plat of eight (8) residential density lots.
- 8. Item 1 through 7 hereof are deemed to be Restrictive Covenants on the further development of the 156 acre parcel owned by Chesapeake; to run with the land and not solely personal to the parties hereto; shall be in perpetuity and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County unless the terms hereof are incorporated in other Restrictive Covenants included in a subdivision of the parcel owned by Chesapeake.
- 9. Chesapeake hereby grants unto Gaines the right of first refusal to purchase that portion of Lot 2 as identified in pink on the attached exhibit, lying adjacent to the southern boundary of Gaines' property and along a portion of the northern boundary of the right of way or entry way to be constructed to serve Lots 3 through 8. Unless the Buyer exercises his right to purchase additional acreage, this right shall expire ten (10) days after Seller notifies Buyer in writing of Seller's receipt of an offer for Lot 2 which is acceptable to Seller. The purchase price for such parcel shall be established by Seller. This right of first refusal shall be renewed in the event such sale by Seller is not consummated. (This restriction to be personal to the parties hereto and not to run with the land.)

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ATTEST:

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CHESAPEAKE EQUITIES OR ANTIBATION, INC.

L. MYRZON GAINES

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BUYER:

STATE OF MARYLAND COUNTY OF GALTIMOSE: to wit,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10th day of January, 1990, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared a duly authorized officer of Chesapeake Equities Organization, Inc. and made oath in due form of law that he, as such officer is duly authorized to enter into this Agreement, that the statements are true and correct as therein stated, and acknowledged said Agreement to be the act of said body corporate.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

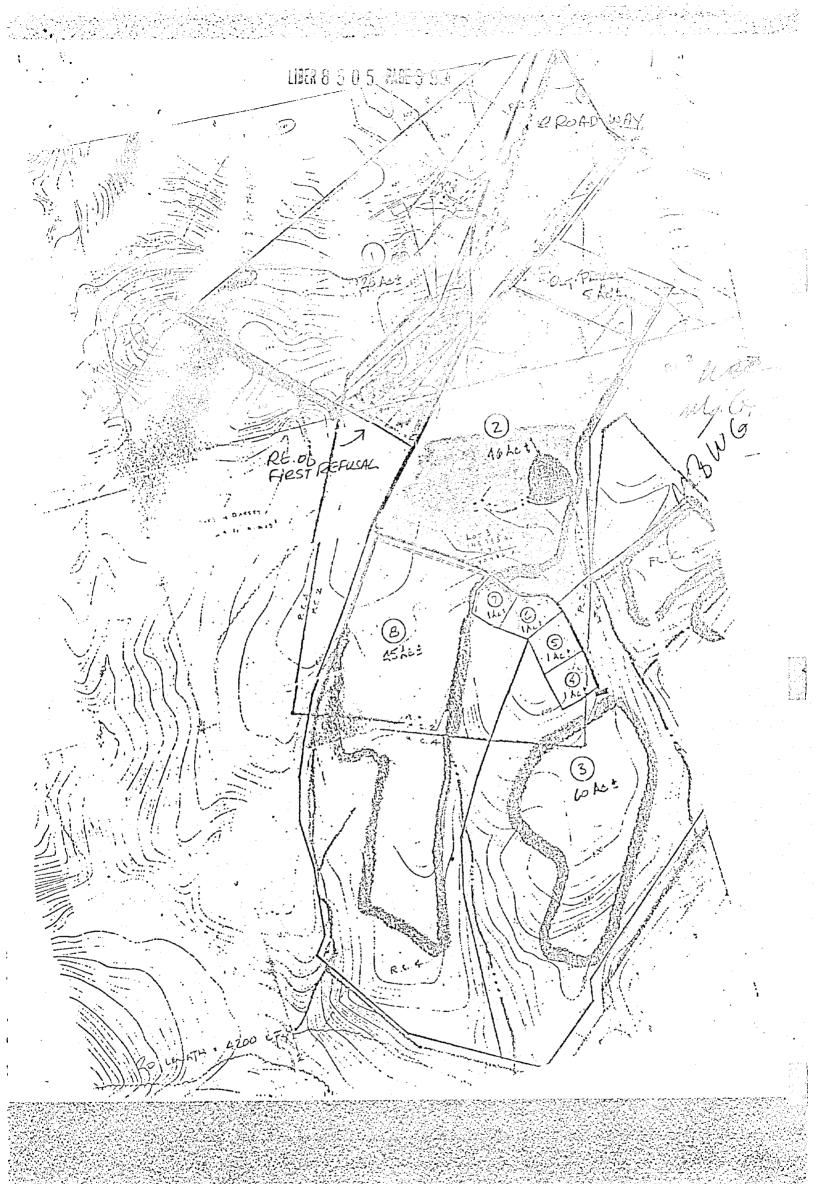
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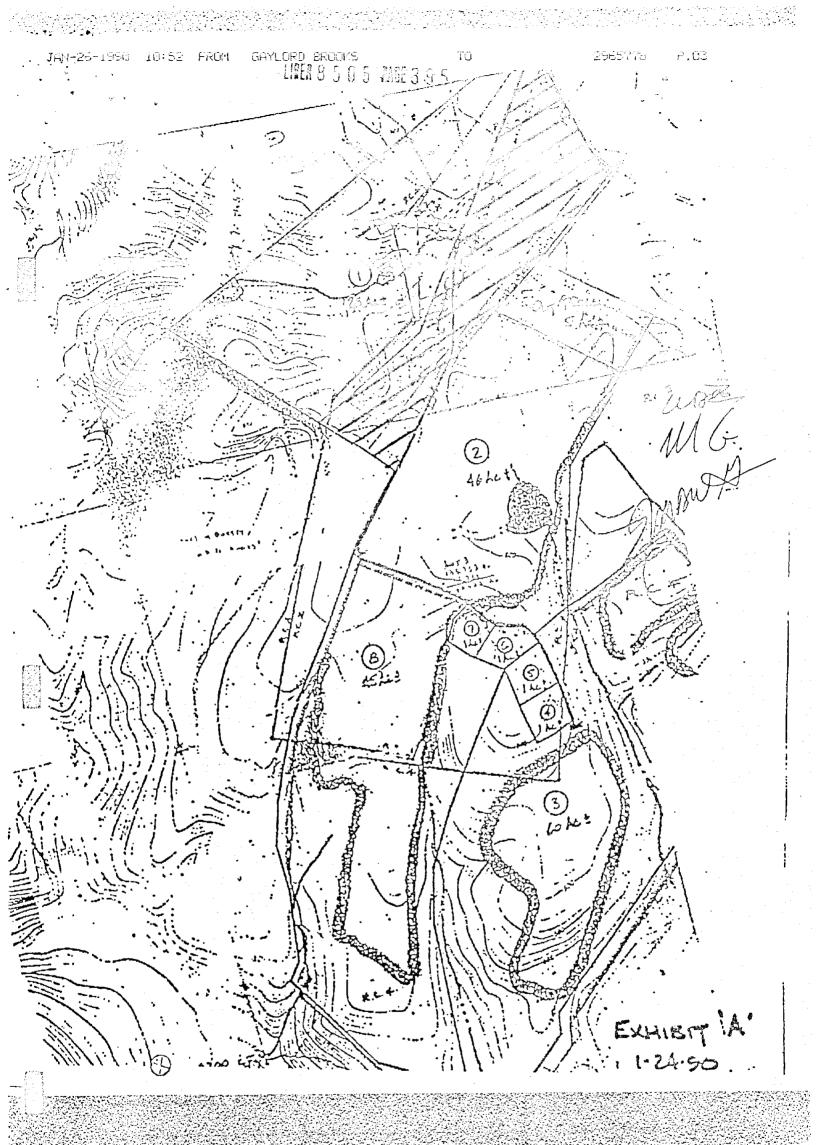
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10<sup>FP</sup> day of Jamuary, 1990, before me. the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared L. Myrton Gaines and made bath in due form of law that the matters and facts and forth in the of warring Agreement are true and correct as therein stated, and acknowledged said Agreement to be his act.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal

My Commission Expires: Jun 1,1990





# BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

INTERIM APPLICATION OF BALTIMORE COUNTY COUNCIL BILL No. 134-89

April 1, 1990 (Revised June 4, 1990)

County Council Bill No. 134-89 requires this agency to establish policies "to promote agricultural uses and protect Baltimore County's soil resources". In order to prevent unnecessary and/or unwarranted delays in processing plans and/or plats and for the purpose of avoiding uncertainty in regard to the effect of this legislation in general, the following interim policy is effective immediately.

Any plan and/or plat submitted to this agency for development approval that involves RC-2, RC-3 or RC-4 zoning needs to be reviewed by the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management to determine its consistency with the interim policy detailed below. All other existing requirements of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations continue to be applicable.

RC-2 and RC-4 zoned land within the "Agricultural Preservation Areas" as established in the draft <u>Baltimore County Master Plan</u>, 1989-2000 shall be subject to the following additional requirements. (No RC-3 exists within "Agricultural Preservation Areas".)

- 1. Lots created within RC-2 zoned areas shall be 60,000 square feet or less or greater than 50 acres in size except that exceptions can be made in regard to these standards based on sewerage and water system requirements; unique physical characteristics of the site; adjacent development characteristics; and other factors which create practical difficulties in satisfying these lot size requirements as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management.
- 2. Lots created within RC-2 and RC-4 zoned land shall not be located on prime and productive soils as referenced in the Baltimore County Soil Survey unless it is demonstrated that no other suitable area for lot placement exists and the location of lots shall not seriously impact the utility of a farming operation or significantly diminish the agricultural land resources.

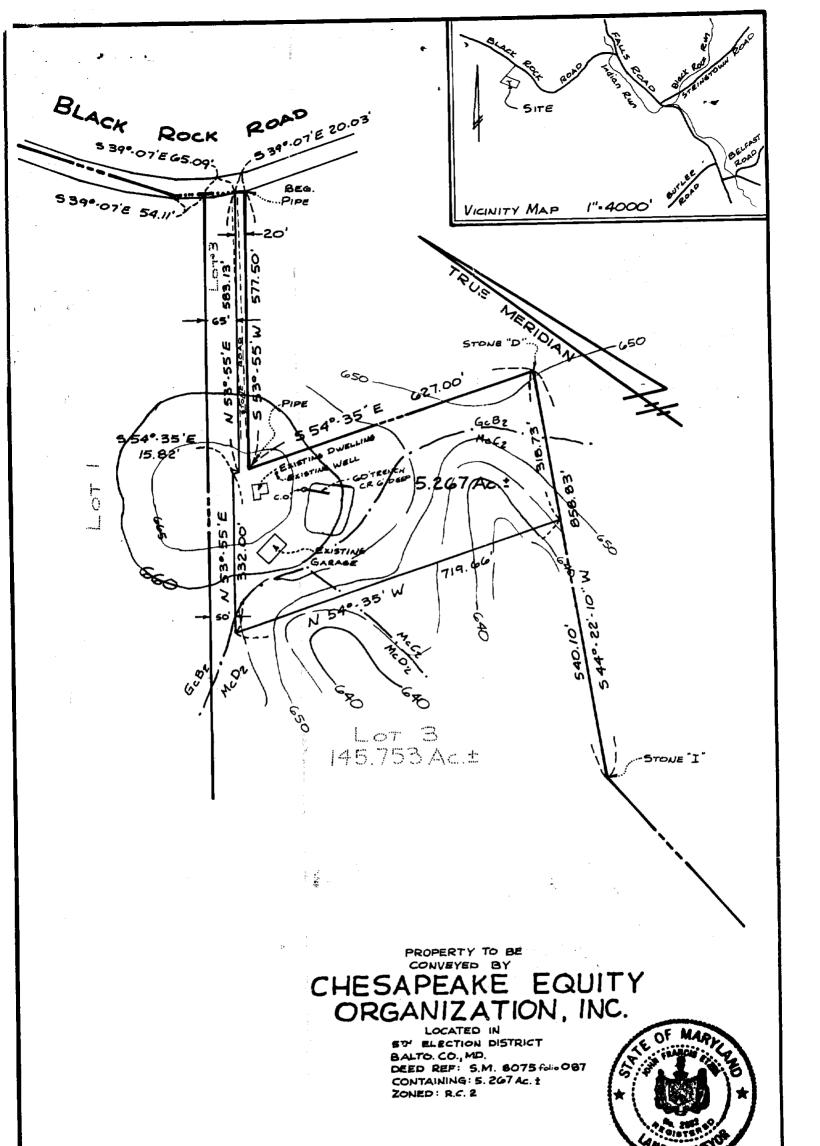
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In regard to prime and productive soils within RC-4 zoned land, the residential density calculated shall be the same as for RC-2. In addition, provisions for lot size and location in regard to all lots allowed within RC-4 zoned areas shall be similar to #1 and #2 above.

In regard to areas zoned RC-2, RC-3 and RC-4 outside of "Agricultural Preservation Areas" the following provisions shall apply:

- 1. RC-2 zoned land will be administered in a similar fashion as outlined for "Agricultural Preservation Areas". (See above.)
- 2. RC-4 zoning will be amended as follows:
  - a) Lot size is not to exceed 60,000 square feet nor be less than 25 acres unless the accommodation of on-lot sewer and/or water requires additional acreage except that variances can be made in regard to these standards based on sewerage and water system requirements; unique physical characteristics of the site; adjacent development characteristics; and other factors which create practical difficulties in satisfying these lot size requirements as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management.
  - b) Lots can be placed on prime and productive soils <u>if</u> it is demonstrated that this will promote reservoir watershed protection by locating lots a greater distance from watercourses including floodplains, seeps and springs and by avoiding the location of lots on steep slopes (>15%). (The primary purpose of RC-4 outside of the "Agricultural Preservation Areas" is to promote watershed protection, albeit, wherever possible prime and productive soils shall be protected.)
  - c) Clustering shall be required wherever possible.
- 3. RC-3 zoning shall be amended so that lot size shall not exceed one (1) acre or be less than 25 acres. Clustering of lots shall be required wherever possible. Lots shall be excluded from prime and productive soils unless it is demonstrated that no other suitable location exists.

DISC #4: "INTERIM.APP" TJG 6-4-90



APPROVED FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY PUB DEPARTMENT OF NVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Oct. 3, 1989 Scale: 1"= 200' SEPT. 20, 1989

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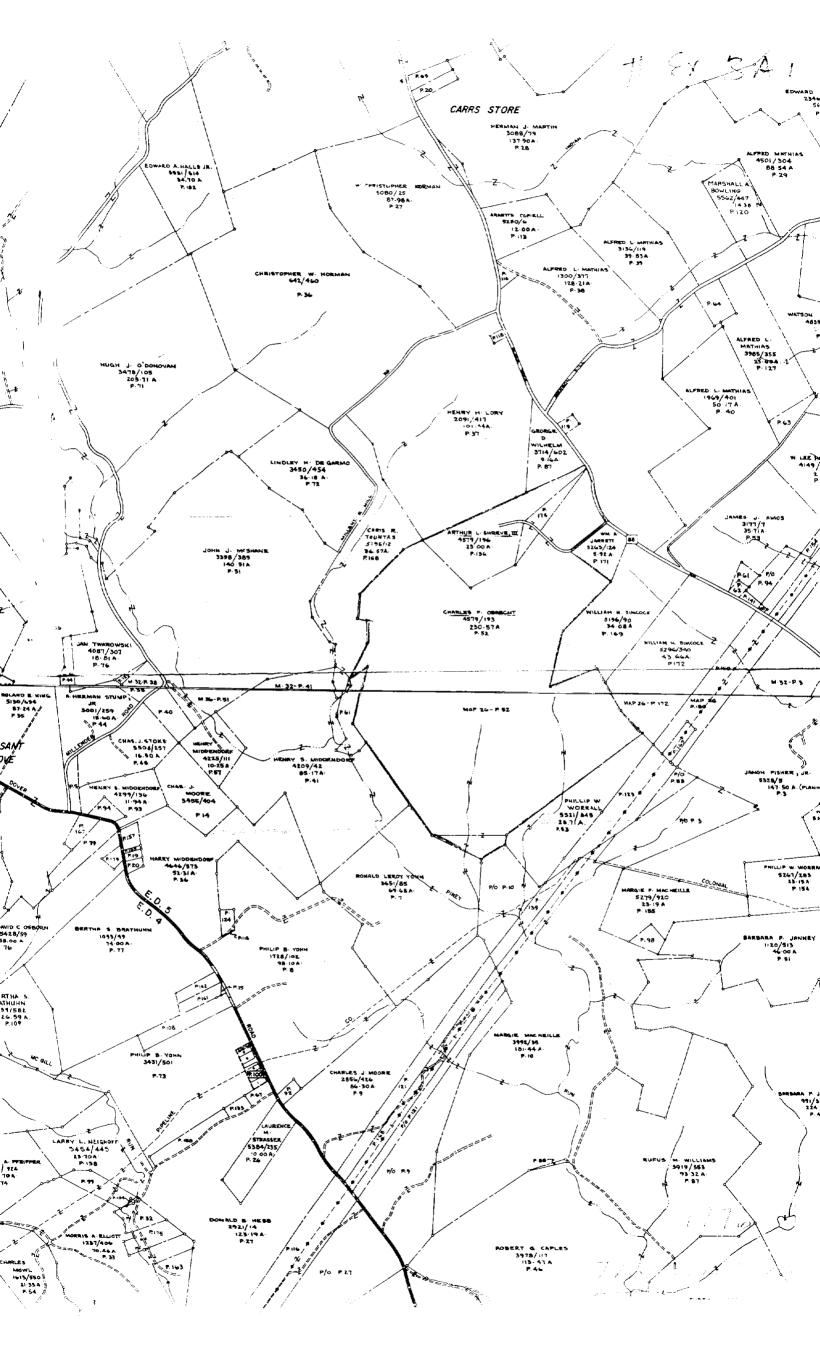
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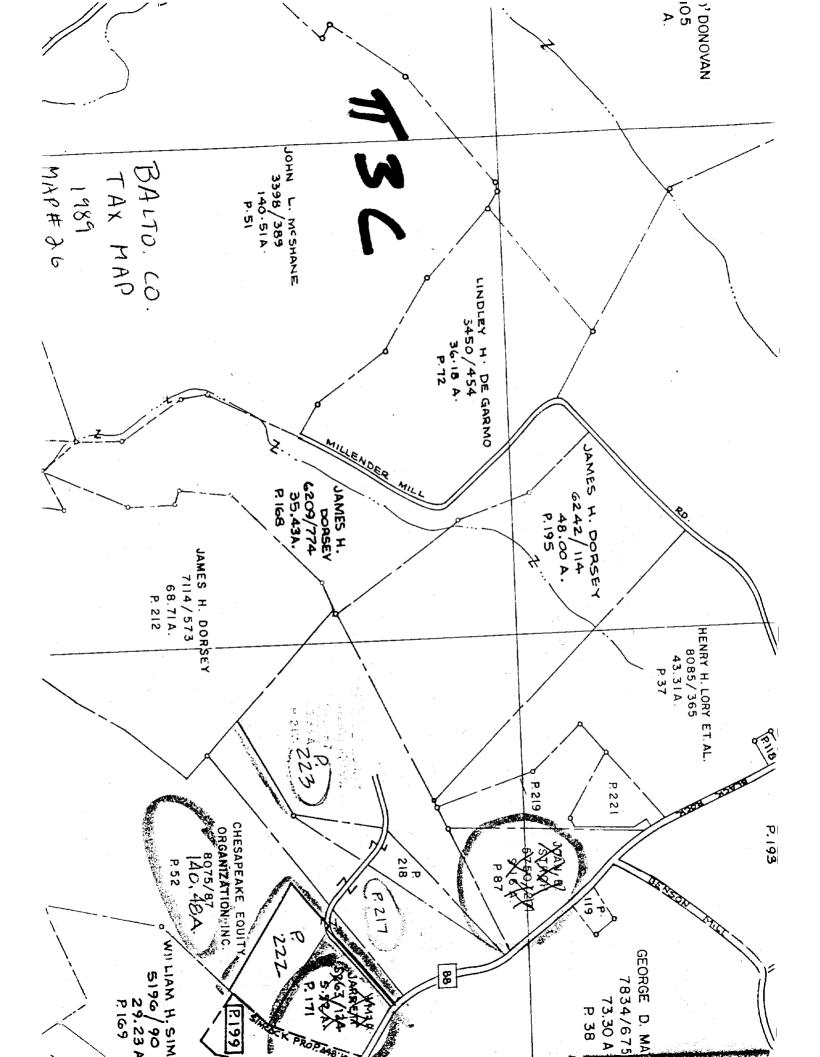
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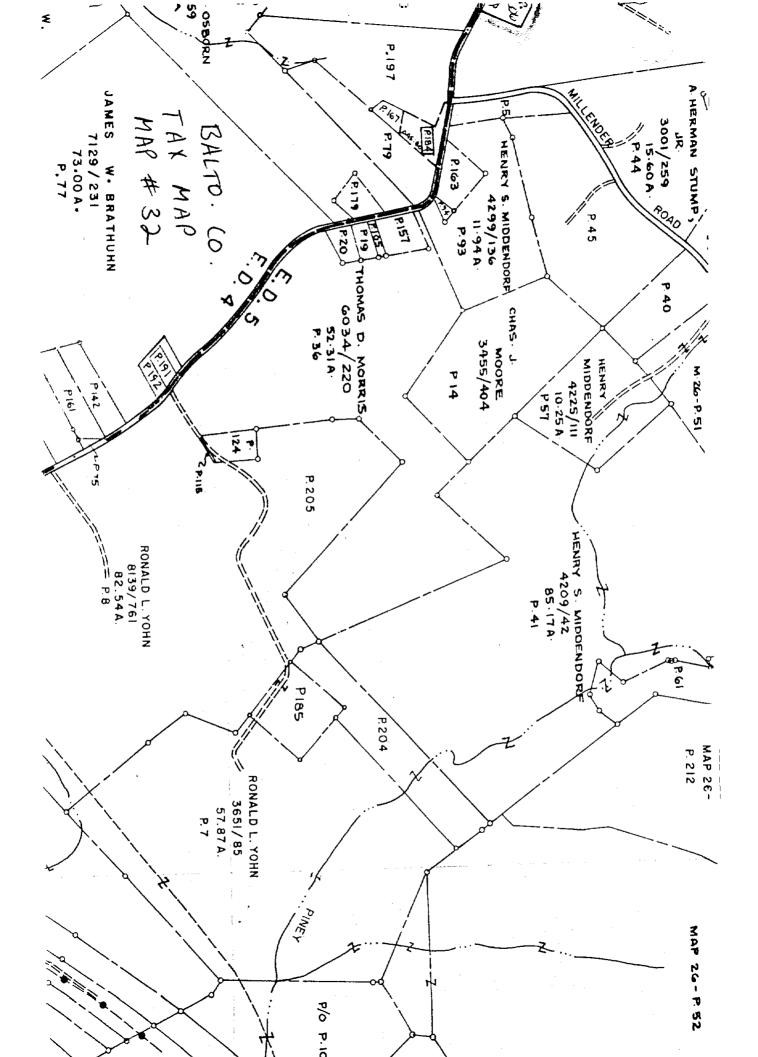
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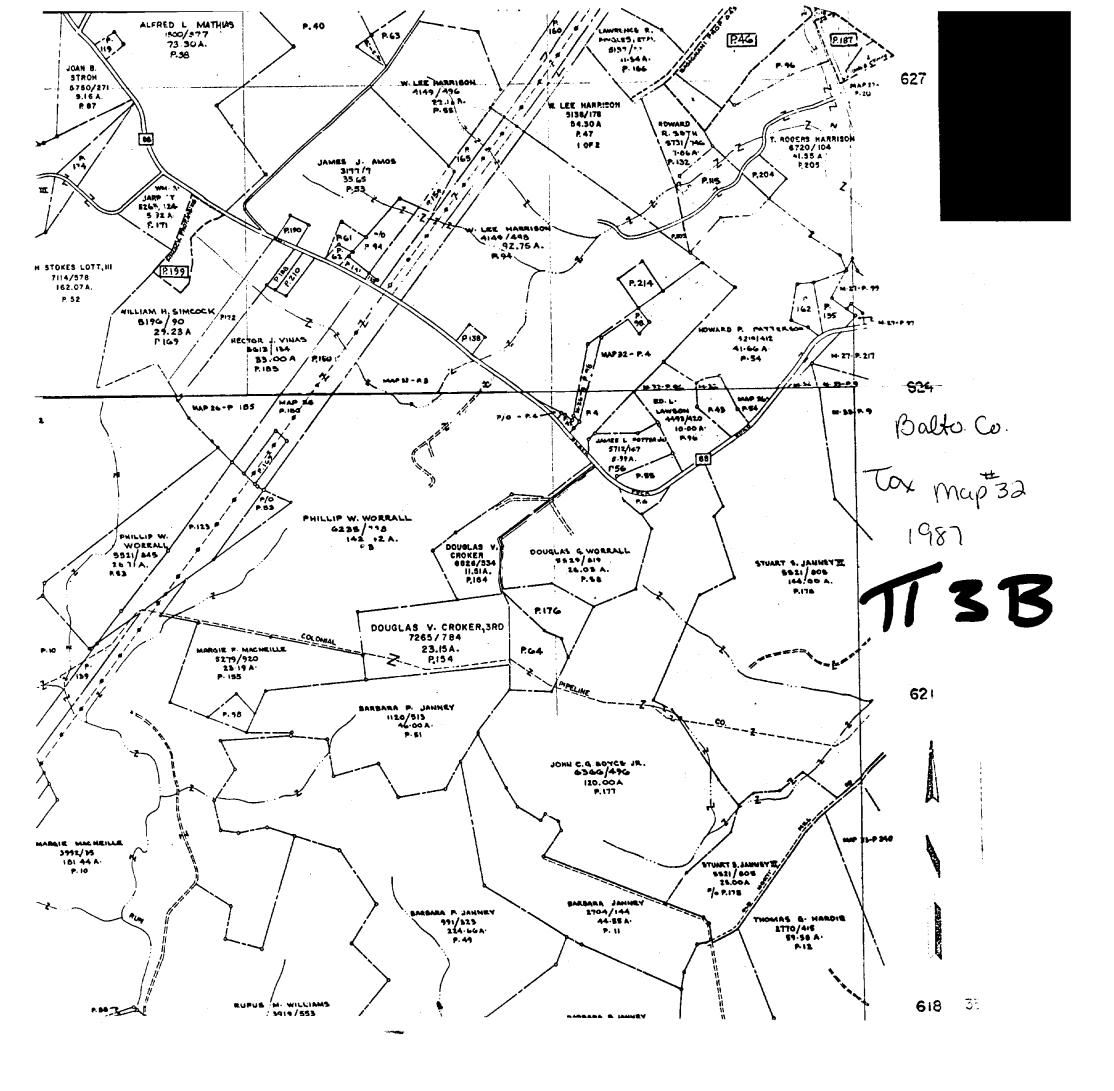
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cc: Mr. & Mrs. James H. Dorsey









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July 8, 1991

HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Kathi Weidenhammer Administrative Secretary County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

Case No.: 90-492-SPHA

Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

(Black Pine Farm)

Dear Ms. Weidenhammer:

This will confirm our telephone conference call with Macy Nelson, Esquire on July 5 concerning the hearing in the above case which is scheduled for July 10 at 10:00 a.m.

that the parties have light of the fact substantial progress toward effectuating a complete resolution of the underlying matter, Mr. Nelson and I are jointly requesting a continuance of the hearing for thirty (30) days in order to finalize the necessary documentation to be filed shortly with the Board.

Because of the lateness of this request, I am planning to appear in person on July 10 at the hearing room to renew this request, unless you telephone me and instruct me not to come.

Thanking you and the members of the Board for your consideration of this request, I am

Stephen J. Nolan

Counsel for Appellants

SJN/mao

G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Phyllis Cole Friedman, Esquire People's Counsel

RE : CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC.

HEARING DATE: July 10, 1991 @ 10:00 a.m.

T/C 7/05/91 from Steve Nolan, Counsel for Petitoner/Appellant --

Working out possible settlement of matter; will advise.

7/05/91

Conference call w/Steve Nolan and G. Macy Nelson (Counsel for Protestants) --

Have reached agreement in principle; believe and have good reason to believe that result of this will be dismissal of appeal. However, because of number of parties involved and even though they have already exchanged draft agreement, will not have it concluded by Wednesday, 7/10/91.

Steve Nolan will prepare and have delivered to the Board's office on Monday, 7/08, a letter detailing the above. He will then appear on Wednesday, 7/10/91, to request continuance on the record on behalf of parties involved. Macy Nelson will not be here on Wednesday.

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December 21, 1990

William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 315, County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Case No.: 90-492-SPHA
CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC.
SW/s of Black Rock Rd., 800' SE
of Benson Mill Rd. (Black Pine Farm)
5th Election District
3rd Councilmanic District

SPH-Reconfiguration of parcels/lot lines; clustering of RC 2 densities; OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE VAR-Accessory bldg. in front yard in lieu of rear; height

8/23/90 - Z.C.'s Order DENYING Petition for Special Hearing; GRANTING with restrictions Petition for Variance.

Dear Mr. Hackett:

I represent neighboring landowners who are opposed to the proposed project which is the subject of this appeal. On December 20, 1990, I received your office's notice scheduling the hearing for Friday, May 3, 1991 at 10:00 a.m. I am writing to request a change in that hearing date because I am scheduled to be out of town on that date. May I suggest that we all confer to select a date that is convenient for the Board, the parties, and all counsel.

truly yours

Macy Nelson

GMN/js

cc: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire Phyllis Friedman, People's Counsel for Baltimore County



### County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

OLD COURTHOUSE, ROOM 49 400 WASHINGTON AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 410-887-3180 FAX: 410-887-3182

October 28, 2002

Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire NOLAN, PLUMHOFF & WILLIAMS, CHTD. Suite 700, Nottingham Centre 502 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

> RE: In the Matter of: Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. Case No. 90-492-SPHA /Dismissal

Dear Mr. Nolan:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Order of Dismissal issued this date by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County in the subject matter.

Very truly yours,

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Administrator

### Enclosure

Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire c: G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Anthony P. Palaigos, Esquire People's Counsel for Baltimore County Pat Keller, Planning Director Lawrence E. Schmidt /Zoning Commissioner Arnold Jablon, Director /PDM

12/17/90 - Following parties notified of hearing set for May 3, 1991 at 10:00 a.m.:

Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire William Boucher, III, Pres. Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. L. Myrton Gaines G. Macy Nelson, Esquire People's Counsel for Baltimore County P. David Fields Pat Keller Public Services J. Robert Haines Ann M. Nastarowicz James E. Dyer W. Carl Richards, Jr. Docket Clerk - Zoning Arnold Jablon, County Attorney

12/31/90 - Above parties notified of POSTPONEMENT and REASSIGNMENT to July 10, 1991 at 10:00 a.m.

7/08/91 -Letter from Stephen Nolan, Esq., confirming telephone conversation /conference call of 7/05/91 (note attached to letter) regarding request for continuance and confirming same.

7/10/91 -Matter continued on the record pending settlement negotiations; to be set in for brief period to put settlement on record at later date / at request of Counsel.

8/08/91 -Above parties notified of hearing set for Tuesday, August 27, 1991 at 9:15 a.m. by joint agreement of Counsel for purpose of settlement on record and testimony of one witness.

8/27/91 -Continued on the recrd to Friday, September 6, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. for settlement on record. Notices sent to all parties regarding said hearing date and time.

8/30/91 - Above parties sent Revised Notice of Continuance and Reassignment. Case now set for September 4, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. (1 hour).

9/04/91 -Continued on record at request of Doug Burgess w/no objection by other Counsel. To be reset at request of Counsel when ready to proceed.

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Petition for Special Hearing and Variance SW/S of Black Rock Road, 800' SE of Benson Mill Road

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Director of Planning & Zoning Comments /

Petitioner's Exhibits:  $\sqrt{1}$ . Copies of Deeds and Agreements

 $\sqrt{2}$ . Plan to accompany Petitions  $(4^{-1})$ 

 $\sqrt{3}$ . Tax Maps pieced together

4. No Exhibit in file marked "4"

(TN BOARD'S) 5. Plan to accompany Petitions

(LOSET) 7. Topography Maps (Black and brown lines)

 $\sqrt{8.}$  Agreement

 $\sqrt{9}$ . Declaration of Covenants and Restrictions

√10. Memo Re: Policy Manual

 $\sqrt{$  11. 1988 Comprehensive Zoning Map

 $^{\sqrt{}}$  12. Site Plan - Black Pine Farm

 $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}_{13}$ . Aerial Photographic Map

14. Comments from Robert W. Sheesley

15. Comments from Pat Keller

16. Agreement letter to rent property

 $\sqrt{17}$ . Bill No. 134-89

18. Receipt No. 1978

19. Copies of Deeds and Agreements

 $\sqrt{20}$ . Two (2) Photographs

 $\sqrt{21}$ . Interim Application of Bill No. 134-89

Appeal Checklist - Case No. 90-492-SPHA CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC. - Petitioner September 17, 1990 Page 2

Protestants Exhibits: / 1. Plan to accompany Petitions  $\sqrt{\,}$  2A. Pine Run Preservation Association Original Memberships √ 3. Letter from James H. Dorsey  $\sqrt{4}$  . Letter from Valleys Planning Council

√ Zoning Commissioner's Order dated August 23, 1990 (Denied) γραφορίος γ Hanted VAR To Custicipiones Notice of Appeal received August 28, 1990 from Stephen J. Nolan and Douglas L. Burgess, Attorneys on behalf of the Petitioner

cc: William Boucher, III President - Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. 117 Water Street, Suite 800, Baltimore, MD 21202

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Mr. o Mrs. James H. Dorsey 3737 Millender Mill Rd. 21155

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#### Enclosure

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

\* BEFORE THE

CHESAPEAK EQUITY ORG., INC.

\* COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND

VARIANCE ON PROPERTY LOCATED \* OF

ON THE SW/S BLACK ROCK ROAD,

800' SE OF BENSON MILL ROAD \* BALTIMORE COUNTY

(BLACK PINE FARM)

\* CASE NO. 90-492-SPHA

5<sup>TH</sup> ELECTION DISTRICT 3<sup>RD</sup> COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT 01102110170 172 01111

### **ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

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COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Charles L. Marks, Chairman

SW/s of Black Rock Rd., 800' SE of Benson Mill Rd. (Black Pine Farm)

#90-492-SPHA CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC.

Appealed: 8/28/90 5th District

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## EXHIBIT 2A

90-492 SPHA

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BEFORE THE

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COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND

VARIANCE ON PROPERTY LOCATED \* OF

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90-4925PHA

Three Ring Farm Upperco, Maryland 21155

## PROTESTANT'S EXHIBIT 3

July 5, 1990

90-4925PHA

Mr. J. Robert Haines
Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner
Office of Planning and Zoning
Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Black Pine Farm

Dear Mr. Haines:

We own 157+- acres that border Black Pine Farm on two sides. Seventy of those acres we bought four years ago under an agreement with H. Stokes Lott, the previous owner of Black Pine Farm. We purchased the property for the following purposes: we wished to increase the amount of tillable acreage on our farm, and we wanted to see the entire area preserved agriculturally and environmentally. We did this with the expressed understanding that the remainder of Black Pine Farm would not be developed.

Since 1981 we have had an Agricultural Conservation Plan provided by the Soil Conservation Service in effect, and our farm has formally been in an Agricultural Preservation District since 1985. It has been our intent to continue in the District and to apply to sell the easements to the State. However, as long as the possibility exists that any small lot development will be allowed on Black Pine Farm, we will not even consider entering into a permanent agreement.

We are also participating in the Upland Game Habitat Restoration Program and have entered into a grant agreement with the Department of Natural Resources, Forest, Park and Wildlife Service for The Wildlife Habitat Improvement Program. By allowing the inclusion of the four smaller lots on the ridge so near our property, the County will seriously jeopardize our efforts to improve the wildlife resources of the area.

Our farming activities include breeding and raising horses and a few cows, growing hay for our own animals and selling what we do not need, and growing small grains which we have combined and sell, retaining the straw for our own use. One of our largest tillable fields boarders Black Pine Farm. Any non-agricultural development of the adjoining property puts our attempts to effectively farm our land at risk.

Re. Black Pine Farm July 5,1990 Page 2

We had planned to attend the hearing scheduled for June 26, 1990 and to testify to the issues stated in this letter. Unfortunately, long-standing plans that can not be changed prevent us from attending the hearing on July 10, 1990. Please accept this letter as evidence of our opposition to the transfer of zoning densities in this case. Thank you.

Sincerely,

James H. Dorsey

Matilda W. Dorsey

### THE VALLEYS PLANNING COUNCIL, INC.

212 Washington Avenue P.O. Box 5402 Towson, Maryland 21285-5402 301/337-6877

July 10, 1990

J. Robert Haines, Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning 111 Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Dear Commissioner Haines,

Re: 90-492-SPHA

PROTESTANT'S

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Valleys Planning Council, Inc., this letter is to inform you of our opposition to the above referenced case, specifically related to the "Special Hearing".

In this case the property owners are attempting to transfer density from an RC-4 zoned area to an RC-2 area zoned, thereby creating 4 small (I.5 acre) lots in the RC-2 zoned area. We believe that this would directly contradict the intent of the Resource Conservation zones (see attached findings). This area is part of the largest mass of farmland in Baltimore County, most of which is preserved in perpetuity by the Maryland Environmental Trust easement, and/or by the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Foundation.

Furthermore, we believe that allowing this transfer of density conflicts with the finding of Judge Barbara Kerr Howe in the case of Steven H. Gudeman, et ux, Case No. 88-490-SPH where she stated:

"Nothing in the statute permits roads to be used as density multipliers; there is also nothing in the statutes to allow transfers of density from one parcel to another. Despite this fact, for a number of years the Zoning Commissioner, pursuant to a 'policy' has apparently been doing these things. The transfer of density is a zoning function which cannot even be accomplished by amendments to the master plan duly approved by a Planning Commission or Planning Board let alone by unilateral action by a zoning commissioner under the guise of 'policy'. West Montogomery Association v. MNCP&P Commission, 309 Md. 183, 522 A.2d 1328 (1987)." Opinion, page 2.

We understand that this "transfer of density" issue is quite complicated but would strongly contend that it is not clearly addressed under the County's current regulations.

We would like you to be aware as well that the Valleys Planning Council has attempted to work with the property owners to develop mutually satisfactory restrictive covenants in (the event that the project as currently proposed would go forward.)

In our opinion restrictive covenants would be the only way to assure the highest possibility of continued farming and a rural presence on the property.

At this time, however, no such covenants have been proffered by the developer for our review. Those agreements which we would consider mandatory are:

- 1) no further subdivision of the property
- 2) the undeveloped property held in a perpetual easement of some kind
- 3) the road mutually owned in fee by the property owners such that maintenance would never be County responsibility.

In conclusion, we do not feel that the permission of this transfer of density is allowed by law or policy nor does it promote the continuation of agriculture in an area currently farmed. In addition, without suitable restrictive covenants we would oppose the proposed project.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.

Sincerely,

Karen Meyer Executive Director

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ARTICLE 1A--RESOURCE-CONSERVATION ZONES [Bill No. 98, 1975]

Section 1A00--GENERAL PROVISIONS: ALL R.C. CLASSIFICATIONS
[Bill No. 98, 1975]

### 1A00.1--Findings. It is found:

- a. that development in the rural areas of Baltimore County has in recent years been taking place at an increasing rate; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- b. that this development has occurred without the framework of a land use plan or other planning components; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- c. that due to this and other factors, this development has formed very undesirable land use patterns; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- d. that in general, these patterns are, or can be described as, urban sprawl; [Bill No. 98-75]
- e. that a significant amount of urban sprawl development is occurring as linear development along the various highways of the rural areas of the County as tracts of land immediately fronting along highways are "lotted off"; the utility of the road system is being impaired and future improvements will be frustrated if this process continues; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
- f. that it has been established that this development carries with it an extremely high cost to the County in a number of respects including: [Bill No. 98, 1975]
  - the cost of servicing this pattern of development;
     [Bill No. 98, 1975]
  - 2. the cost with respect to its consumption and use of prime agricultural land, critical watershed areas, mineral extractive sites, as well as of other important natural resource areas; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
  - 3. the cost of future development opportunities due to the fact that viable, rational alternatives will be lost totally or comprised significantly by the present form of development; [Bill No. 98, 1975]

shall not in itself b sufficient grounds to reclassify property. [Bill No. 98, 1975]

1A00.4--Plans and Plats. [Bill No. 98-75]

Development Plans and Final Subdivision Plats shall be required in the manner prescribed under subsection 1801.3 and for the purpose of this subsection all references to D.R. zones shall include the R.C. zones. [Bill No. 98, 1975]

1A00.5-Application to tract divided by zone boundary. [Bill No. 98-75]

Whenever a single tract is divided by a zone boundary so that portions of such a tract lie within R.C. zones of different classifications, the total number of dwellings or density units permitted shall apply to each tract individually and for the purpose of these regulations shall be considered as separate parcels. [Bill No. 98. 1975]

Section 1A01--R.C. 2 (AGRICULTURAL) ZONES [Bill No. 98-75]

1A01.1--General provisons. [Bill No. 98-75]

- A. Legislative Statement of Findings.
  - 1. Declaration of findings. It is found:
    - a. that Baltimore County is fortunate in that it is endowed with a variety of very productive agricultural soil types which should not be lost unnecessarily to urbanized development; [Bill No. 98, 1975.]
    - b. that the agricultural industry is an integral part of the Baltimore economy and that a continued conversion of agricultural land will continue to undermine this basic industry; [Bill No. 98, 1975]
    - c. that scattered development is occurring in a sporadic fashion in areas of Baltimore County containing productive agricultural land; [Bill No. 98-75]
    - d. that continued urban intrusion into productive agricultural areas not only destroys the specific area upon which the development occurs

### **AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT made this Down day of January, 1990, by and between Chesapeake Equities Organization, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "Chesapeake" or "Seller" and L. Myrton Gaines, hereinafter referred to as "Gaines" or "Buyer".

WHEREAS, Chesapeake owns approximately 184 acres on the north or west side of Black Rock Road in the Fifth Election District of Baltimore County, and

WHEREAS, by Contract of Sale dated of even date herewith, Gaines has agreed to purchase 28 acres more or less all as more clearly defined on a plat attached hereto and more fully identified as Lot 1 of Exhibit A, and

WHEREAS, it was the condition precedent to the execution of this Agreement that the parties hereto execute the aforesaid Contract of Sale.

NOW, THEREFORE witnesseth in consideration of execution of this Agreement and other good and valuable considerations the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Chesapeake agrees that the remaining parcel of land containing approximately 156 acres of land, more or less, as shown on the attached plat will not be subdivided into more than seven (7) other parcels, as more fully identified as Lots 2 through 8 of Exhibit A. Seller agrees to use its best efforts to obtain Baltimore County approval of Exhibit A. Buyer agrees to cooperate with Seller in this effort. Seller reserves the right to make reasonable adjustments in lot lines so long as the character of sub-division is not altered. In the event the above mentioned sub-division plan is not approved in a form similar to Exhibit A, Seller may elect to re-subdivide the property in accordance with Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations. If it becomes necessary to re-subdivide the property as a result of the inability to have the subdivision shown as Exhibit A approved, Seller agrees to prohibit the construction of any residential dwellings in the cross-hatched area of Lot 2 as shown on Exhibit A unless otherwise agreed to by the owners of Lot 1. This restriction will survive closing and run with the land. The record plat and the Covenants and Restrictions for this property will reflect this Agreement. (This Exhibit A is similar to, but not identical to the plat attached to the Contract of Sale and identified as Addendum No. 1 to the aforesaid Contract of Sale and identified as Addendum No. 1

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RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

PETITION FOR VARIANCE

SW/S Black Rock Rd., 800' SEly:

from Benson Mill Rd., Black

Pine Farm, 5th Election District:

3rd Councilmanic District

CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORGANIZATION,

INC., Petitioner

BEFORE THE ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALTIMORE COUNT

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Case No. 90-492-SPHA

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### ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the above-captioned matter. Notices should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or final Order.

Phyllis Cole Friedman

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Peter Max Zimmerman
Deputy People's Counsel

Room 304, County Office Building

Towson, Maryland 21204

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 16th day of May, 1990, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire, Suite 700, Court Towers, 210 W. Pennsylvania Ave., Towson, MD 21204, Attorney for Petitioner; and L. Myrton Gaines, 15009 Dover Rd., Baltimore, MD 21136, Contract Purchaser.

Peter Max Zimmerman

of Gaines' parcel, the approximate location of said drive is shown in green on the attached plat.

- 4. Chesapeake agrees to install no permanent advertising or subdivision signs along Black Rock Road excluding only temporary real estate "for sale" signs indicating the availability of Lots 2 through 8.
- 5. Chesapeake agrees that no street lights will be installed along the right of way excluding such as might be required by Baltimore County.
- 6. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to prevent Gaines from further subdivision of Parcel 1 as allowed by the Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations as they might be enacted from time to time.
- 7. Gaines agrees that he will grant and assign his density rights in that portion of Lot 1 as is contained in the RC-2 Zone as required by Baltimore County in order to permit Seller to obtain a recorded subdivision plat of eight (8) residential density lots.
- 8. Items I through 7 hereof are deemed to be Restrictive Covenants on the further development of the 156 acre parcel owned by Chesapeake; to run with the land and not solely personal to the parties hereto; shall be in perpetuity and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County unless the terms hereof are incorporated in other Restrictive Covenants included in a subdivision of the parcel owned by Chesapeake.
- 9. Chesapeake hereby grants unto Gaines the right of first refusal to purchase that portion of Lot 2 as identified in pink on the attached exhibit, lying adjacent to the southern boundary of Gaines' property and along a portion of the northern boundary of the right of way or entry way to be constructed to serve Lots 3 through 8. Unless the Buyer exercises his right to purchase additional acreage, this right shall expire ten (10) days after Seller notifies Buyer in writing of Seller's receipt of an offer for Lot 2 which is accepatable to Seller. The purchase price for such parcel shall be established by Seller. This right of first refusal shall be renewed in the event such sale by Seller is not consummated. (This restriction to be personal to the parties hereto and not to run with the land).

THIS AGREEMENT is to survive settlement and execution of a deed for the aforesaid 28 acre parcel identified as Lot 1 and not to merge in the deed.

THIS AGREEMENT shall be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first above written.

ATTEST

CHESAPEAKE EQUITIES ORGANIZATION, INC,

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BUYER:

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## <u>DECLARATION OF</u> COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS

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### COOPERFIELD

THIS DECLARATION OF COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS made this 26th day of December , 1989, by Gaylord Brooks Realty Company, hereinafter called the "Declarant".

#### RECITALS

- (A) The Declarant is the owner, in fee simple, of the tract of land lying in the Tenth Election District of Baltimore County, Maryland, containing approximately ninety eight (98) acres of land, as shown on the Plat entitled Cooperfield, (hereinafter referred to as the "Plat"), which Plat is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. 60, Folio 142 and as hereafter referred to as Cooperfield.
- (B) The Declarant, for the purposes of creating and maintaining a general scheme of development and for the protection of the economic interest of the Declarant, desires that the aforesaid lots be subject to the covenants, conditions and restrictions hereinafter set forth, for the benefit of the Declarant, and the future owners of all Lots in the Development.
- (C) The purpose of the Covenants and Restrictions is to enhance the quality of the Subdivision, as hereafter defined, and to support maximum property value for the Declarant and future property owners. To further these purposes, the Declarant and each Lot Owner, as hereafter defined, has the individual right, but not any obligation to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions against any violation by means as provided herein or by appropriate legal proceedings. The Declarant has no legal obligation to enforce these Covenants and Restrictions but may selectively act to further its own best interests. Any Lot Owner has the right to retain legal counsel to enforce any of the Covenants and Restrictions.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Declarant for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby declares that all the aforesaid tract of land known as Cooperfield shall be subject to the covenants, restrictions, conditions and reservations hereinafter set forth.

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### ARTICLE I - DEFINITIONS

The following words, when used in this Declaration, shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "The Property" shall mean and refer to all the real property shown on the Record Plat referred to above.
- (b) "Lot" shall mean and refer to those properties designated as Lots 1 through 13 on the aforesaid Plat.
- (c) "Dwelling" shall mean and refer to any building or portion of a building situated upon the Property and designated and intended for use and occupancy as a residence by a single family.
- (d) "Developer" or "Declarant" shall mean and refer to Gaylord Brooks Realty Company and its successors and assigns.
- (e) "Lot Owner" shall mean and refer to every person, group of persons, corporation, trust or other legal entity, or any combination thereof, who holds legal title to a Lot in the Subdivision, provided, that (a) no Lessee (other than a Lessee under a 99 year lease creating a ground rent of such Lot), and (b) no Mortgagee or Trustee under a Deed of Trust of any Lot shall be deemed to be a Lot Owner unless and until such Mortgagee or Trustee acquires of record the Mortgagor's or Grantor's equity of redemption in said Lot.
- (f) "Subdivision" shall mean the final Subdivision of Cooperfield as recorded among the Plat Records of Baltimore County; or as amended in accordance with this Declaration.
- (g) "Plans and Specifications" shall mean engineering site plans, landscape plans, and architectural working drawings and any other supporting documents which may be required by the Developer.

## ARTICLE II - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO DECLARATION AND MUTUALITY OF BENEFIT

SECTION 1. Property. The real property which is and shall be held, conveyed, hypothecated or encumbered, sold, leased, rented, used, occupied and improved subject to these restrictive covenants is located in Baltimore County, State of Maryland, and is more particularly designated on the Plat.

SECTION 2. Benefit. The restrictions and agreements set forth herein are made for the mutual and reciprocal benefit of each and every Lot in the Subdivision and are intended to create mutual, equitable servitudes upon each of said Lots in favor of each and all of the other Lots therein; to create reciprocal rights between the respective owners of all of said Lots; to create a privity of contract and estate between the grantees of said Lots, their heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns, and shall, as to the owner of each such Lot, his heirs, personal representatives, successors or assigns, operate as covenants running with the land for the benefit of each and all other Lots in the Subdivision and their respective owners.

### ARTICLE III - UTILITIES

SECTION 1. <u>Utility Easements</u>. Easements along all property lines extending from the property line into each Lot for a width of five feet (5') are hereby reserved by the Declarant for the installation and maintenance of utilities and drainage facilities. All additional easements reserved for those purposes are as shown on the Plat. In addition thereto, the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company, C & P Telephone Company and any cable television company operating in Baltimore County shall have the right to place upon the Lots, at such locations as may be deemed necessary by them, electrical transformers, transformer pads, telephone pedestals, and television cable. The aforesaid companies shall also have the right to use the Roadway System for purposes of maintaining their respective distribution systems. No structure, planting or other material shall be placed or permitted to remain upon any Lot which may damage or interfere with any easement for the installation or maintenance of utilities, or which may unreasonably change, obstruct or retard direction or flow of any drainage channels. The Declarant reserves the right to place fencing within said easements as is desirable in its discretion, provided however, that such fencing shall not interfere with said easements.

### ARTICLE IV - ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

SECTION 1. <u>Purpose</u>. No building, fence, wall, hedge or other structure shall be constructed on any Lot until the Plans and Specifications, including color scheme and a grading plan showing the location of the structure, have been approved in writing by Gaylord Brooks Architectural Committee, Inc. ("GBAC") or its assignee. No later changes or additions after initial approval thereof or remodeling or reconstruction shall commence until such has also been approved in writing by GBAC or its assignee. Before commencement of construction, the owners of Lots shall present their Plans and Specifications to GBAC together with a non-refundable fee of One Hundred Dollars

(\$100.00) covering the cost of reviewing the Plans and Specifications. Plans and Specifications must be acted on by GBAC within thirty (30) days after submission. If GBAC fails to act on said Plans and Specifications within said thirty (30) day period after submission, the Plans and Specifications shall automatically be approved. GBAC shall have the right to refuse approve any such Plans and Specifications, or grading and location plans, which are not suitable or desirable, in its opinion, for aesthetic or other reasons, and in so passing upon such plans, specifications, or grading or location plans, it shall have the right to take into consideration the suitability of the proposed building or other structure, the materials of which it is built, the site upon which it shall be erected, the harmony thereof with the surroundings and the effect of the building or other structure on the roadway as planned and the view from the adjacent or neighboring properties. In the event of the failure of the purchaser or purchasers of Lots in Cooperfield to obtain or to comply with the required prior written approval of plans, specifications, and grading studies as established in this paragraph, said purchasers hereby agree to reimburse GBAC or its assigns for all costs and expenses to which it may be put as a result of said failure, including but not limited to court costs and attorney's fees, and to bear all expenses necessary to conform any improvements to approved status including costs of demolition and reconstruction, if necessary. Any approved Dwelling constructed on said Lots shall be completed in every exterior detail within twelve (12) months from date of beginning such construction. Material samples, if not retrieved by the Lot Owner, will be disposed of ten (10) days following approval.

SECTION 2. Liability. Neither GBAC, nor any architect or agent thereof shall be responsible in any way for any defects in any Plans and Specifications submitted, revised or approved in accordance with the foregoing provisions, nor for any structural or other defects in any work done according to such Plans and Specifications.

### ARTICLE V - USE AND BUILDING RESTRICTIONS

SECTION 1. Land Use. Lots as shown on the Plat shall be used for private residential purposes only and no Dwelling shall be erected, altered, or placed or permitted to remain on any Lot other than one detached Dwelling, said Dwelling designed for single-family occupancy. Single-family occupancy shall not be construed to prevent the erection of a Dwelling with an attached apartment or living area for use by a Lot Owner or members of the owner's family. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the use of part of a Lot as a right of way for use by other Lots within the Subdivision or adjoining property. Residential use shall not bar a home office use of the Property provided the Owner of said

Lot complies with the applicable zoning regulations of Baltimore County. Private residential use shall not prohibit acquisition of the property for investment purposes or for acquisition by a contiguous property owner who does not intend to erect a residential dwelling in the immediate future. Any tenant under a lease of any of the Property for a period of less than ninety nine (99) years, although not a Lot Owner, shall be bound by all of the use and building restrictions contained herein.

### SECTION 2. Building Restrictions.

- (a) No structure of a temporary character, such as, but not limited to, a trailer, shack, or tent, shall be placed or used on any of the Lots as a residence or for storage, or as an auxiliary building, either temporarily or permanently, except that a temporary structure may be placed or used thereon if used and operated solely in connection with the construction of permissible permanent improvements; provided, however, that such temporary structure shall be removed from the premises within thirty (30) days after completion of the construction of the permissible permanent improvements; and provided, further, that such structure be removed within a period of twelve (12) months from the date of its original construction, whichever shall occur first.
- (b) Attached two car garages are required unless specifically waived in writing by GBAC.
- (c) No recreational vehicles, such as, but not limited to, boats, campers, motor homes, and tent vehicles, may be parked or kept on any Lot without first obtaining the written approval of GBAC herein, which approval shall be revocable by GBAC. No motorized bikes or similar type recreational vehicles may be operated on any Lot.
- (d) No live poultry, hogs or other similar livestock shall be kept on any Lot. Horses and/or cows may be kept on any Lot provided however that the number of horses and/or cows so kept is in accordance with applicable Baltimore County Zoning Regulations and that they are properly housed and cared for and are restricted to the owner's Property. Written approval of GBAC must be obtained prior to the keeping of horses and/or cows, which approval shall be revocable by GBAC. A maximum of two (2) dogs and two (2) cats is permitted by right, provided that they are properly housed and cared for and are restricted to the owner's Property. Written approval from GBAC is required for dogs and cats in excess of this number, which approval shall be revocable by GBAC.
- (e) Owners of Lots shall be responsible for providing driveway access to their homes from the paved portion of the public road or common driveway abutting the owner's Lot as

designated on the Plats. All driveways shall be paved with a hard durable surface, such as macadam, tar and chip, concrete or other similar material. Paving shall be completed one (1) year from the date of commencement of construction of the Dwelling on said Lot.

NO BERM SHALL BE ALLOWED ALONG THE DIVISION LINE BETWEEN THE PUBLIC ROAD AND LOT WHICH WILL IN ANYWAY INHIBIT THE WATER COURSE INTENDED IN THE APPROVED ROAD DESIGN.

NOTE: COMMON DRIVEWAYS CONSTRUCTED BY DEVELOPER ARE NOT TO BE ALTERED WITHOUT THE EXPRESS WRITTEN PERMISSION OF THE DECLARANT HEREIN.

- (f) All Lots in Cooperfield shall be kept free from rubbish and trash of any kind, clean and with lawns, including the area between the lot line and the paved portion of the road, neatly mowed a minimum of three (3) times per growing season, so that grass and weeds do not exceed eight (8) inches in height. In the event the owners of any Lot(s) do not so maintain their Lot(s), the Declarant or its employees shall have the right to enter upon said Lot to cut or remove the grass, weeds, rubbish or trash, and the Owner of any Lot or parcel so benefitted shall pay reasonable charges for such services as is determined by the Declarant or its designee.
- (g) No future facilities, including poles and wires for the transmission of electricity, telephone and the like shall be placed or maintained above the surface of the ground on any Lot; and no external or outside antennae towers or television discs of any kind shall be erected without the prior written approval of GBAC or its duly authorized representative(s). Developer reserves the right to install utility poles, wires and the like above ground as it deems necessary in providing utility service to any Lot.
- (h) No more than seven thousand (7,000) square feet of wooded area on any Lot or parcel may be cleared without the express authorization of the Declarant.
- (i) No sign or other advertising device of any nature shall be placed on any Lot advertising the said Lot or the improvements thereon as being for sale unless approved in writing by the Declarant. This restriction shall terminate on April 1, 1991.
- (j) No change in ground level may be made on any Lot in excess of one foot in height over existing grades without the written approval of the Declarant obtained prior to the commencement of work.
- (k) No vehicle shall be parked on any street in the Subdivision. No truck of any type shall be parked for storage overnight or longer on any Lot in the Subdivision in such a

manner as to be visible to the occupants of other Lots in the Subdivision or the users of any street within the Subdivision, unless the prior written approval of the Declarant has been obtained, which approval may be revoked by the Declarant at any time.

- (1) Any Dwelling or outbuilding on any Lot in the Subdivision which may be destroyed in whole or in any part by fire, windstorm or for any other cause or act of God must be rebuilt or all debris removed and the Lot restored to a sightly condition with reasonable promptness, provided, however, that in no event shall such debris remain on the Lot for more than sixty (60) days.
- (m) No fuel tanks of any kind, excepting tanks for heating oil, shall be buried on any Lot.
- (n) A construction entrance twelve feet by fifty feet (12' x 50') must be built on each Lot by the Lot Owner prior to construction and shall consist of not less than eight inches (8") of crushed stone and shall be maintained during construction to minimize sediment runoff and damage to the road system adjacent to the construction site.

DAMAGE TO THE ROAD SYSTEM RESULTING FROM IMPROPERLY INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCES SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE LOT OWNER.

- SECTION 3. <u>Environmental Control</u>. The Declarant has entered into an agreement with the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management to adhere to the following "Water Quality Best Management Practices" and, by the acceptance of a Deed conveying any Lot, the Owner thereof covenants to adhere to the same:
- (a) All areas except that used for buildings, sidewalks and paving, will be planted with vegetated cover and/or landscaped as soon as possible after final grading and maintained in such condition.
- (b) Dirt and debris accumulating on private roads will be removed according to the following schedule: May through October, concurrent with grass mowing; November through April, as required.
- (c) Snow removal will be by mechanical means except in severe snow and ice conditions, when deicing compounds may be used.
- (d) Application of fertilizers, herbicides and pesticides will not exceed recommendations of the University of Maryland Cooperative Extension Service.

(e) Filling will not occur in grassed or lined drainage ditches or swales.

#### ARTICLE VI - GENERAL

- SECTION 1. Provisions to Run With The Land. The provisions herein contained shall run with and bind the land and shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by the Declarant or the Owner of any part of said land included in the Plat, their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors, and assigns. Failure by the Declarant, or any such owner or owners to enforce any restriction, condition, covenant or agreement herein contained shall in no event be deemed a waiver of the right to do so thereafter as to the same breach or as to one occuring prior or subsequent thereto.
- SECTION 2. Term and Amendment. These restrictions shall inure to the benefit of and shall be enforceable by the Declarant and any Lot Owner, their respective legal representatives, heirs, successors and assigns until April 1, 2014. From and after April 1, 2014, the easements created by Articles III, IV and V hereof shall continue in full force and effect in perpetuity. After April 1, 2014, the remaining provisions in this Declaration (with the exception of Articles III, IV and V) may be amended and/or terminated in their entirety by an instrument signed by not less than sixty-seven percent (67%) of the Lot Owners entitled to vote, which instrument shall be filed for recording among the Land Records of Baltimore County, Maryland or in such other place of recording as may be appropriate at the time of the execution of such instrument.
- SECTION 3. <u>Invalidation</u>. Invalidation of any of these covenants, agreements, restrictions or conditions by judgement or court order shall in no way affect any of the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.
- SECTION 4. <u>Limitation</u>. These restrictions shall apply to the Lots as shown on the aforesaid Plat entitled Cooperfield and shall not be binding on any other property of the Declarant, its successors and assigns.

#### SECTION 5. Subdivision.

(a) No Lot shall be split, divided, or subdivided for sale, resale, gift, transfer or otherwise, after acquisition from the Declarant. With respect to any of said Lots while owned by the Declarant, the Declarant expressly reserves the right to alter property lines, to alter setback lines, to alter any easements, and to otherwise revise the aforesaid Subdivision Plat and/or Development Plan of Cooperfield in any respect subject to



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April 29, 1991

The Honorable William T. Hackett, Chairman Baltimore County Board of Appeals Room 315, County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc., Petitioner Zoning Case No. 90-492-SPHA

Dear Chairman Hackett:

This office is a party in this case due to concern with the legal issues. In this regard, we concur with the Zoning Commissioner's decision.

However, due to the presence of other counsel for the Protestants, we believe our participation at the hearing will be redundant. I am sure Mr. Nelson will adequately develop the factual record and we do not wish to offer additional direct evidence or participate in cross-examination.

Consequently, with the Board's concurrence, we do not plan to attend in person at the hearing although we do remain an interested party.

If we do not hear to the contrary, we will assume this is acceptable to the Board.

Sincerely yours,

Phyllis Cole Friedman

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Phyllis Cole Friedman

cc: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire

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P. David Fields, Director, OPZ

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applicable Baltimore County regulations and requirements. And in connection therewith, the Declarant further reserves the right to modify the Subdivision Plat and/or Development Plan as filed with Baltimore County, Maryland, as to any Lots to be resubdivided.
Included in this reservation is a special limited irrevocable power of attorney to sign on behalf of any interested party such waivers or consents as may be required by Baltimore County, consenting to the alteration of the Subdivision Plat and/or

(b) Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the resubdivision of Lot Nos. 12 and 13 and Tract A by the Declarant Development Plan. or subsequent owner in the event of future changes in Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. In such event, the size of any lot(s) resulting from such resubdivision shall be not less than three (3) acres. With respect to Tract A, use of Tract A as a building lot and/or resubdivision shall be allowed in the event such use and/or resubdivision is permitted by Baltimore County, either through a change in Zoning Regulations or as a result of the shifting of density from adjacent property to Tract A. Any lot(s) on or partially on Tract A resulting from such use and/or resubdivision shall be at least three (3) acres in size.

# ARTICLE VII - DEVELOPER

Reservation of Rights. The Developer reserves an easement to exercise its right at any time prior to or subsequent to conveyance of individual Lots in Cooperfield to enter upon any of the Property, to complete, in its sole discretion, development of the Property; such development including but not limited to tree cutting, and grading and filling in order to install roads, storm drains and utilities.

SECTION 2. Waiver of Restrictions and Covenants. Declarant, its successors and assigns, reserves the right to waive such portion of the Restrictions and Covenants placed on this Property as the Declarant deems necessary or in the best interest of the development as determined by the Declarant. All waivers shall be in writing and a copy thereof shall be filed with the Declarant and a copy thereof shall be available to all Lot Owners upon request.

# SECTION 3. Special Limited Power of Attorney.

SECTION 5, DECLARANT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF ANY INTERESTED PARTY OR LOT OWNER SUCH WAIVERS OR CONSENTS AS MAY BE REQUIRED BY BALTIMORE COUNTY, CONSENTING TO THE ALTERATION OF THE SUBDIVISION PLAT AND/OR DEVELOPMENT PLAN.

AS WITNESS the hand and seal of Richard A. Moore, President, Gaylord Brooks Realty Company.

WITNESS: Ceatle L. Bush

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GAYLORD BROOKS REALTY COMPANY

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF BALTIMORE, to wit:

HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this 26th day of , 1989, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public T HEREBY December of the State of Maryland, County of Baltimore, personally appeared Richard A. Moore, President, Gaylord Brooks Realty Company, and he acknowledged the foregoing Declaration of Restrictions to be the act and deed of Gaylord Brooks Realty Company.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

My Commission Expires: July 1, 1990

The Mortgagee or Trustee under a Deed of Trust of the Property joins in the execution of this Declaration for the purpose of evidencing its consent thereto.

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AFTER RECORDING-RETURN TO: GAYLORD BROOKS REALTY CO. REATHA L. BURK P.O. BOX 193 PAPERMILL RD PHOENIX, Md. 21131



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ARNOLD JABLON ZONING COMMISSIONER

JEAN M. H. JUNG DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

SUBJECT:

POLICY MANUAL

DATE:

9/20/85

TT Ex. 10

This POLICY MANUAL is a compilation of legislative, executive, and administrative public policies. These policies are promulgated by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, pursuant to the Baltimore County Charter, §522.1, and the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, §500.8. The principles enunicated herein have the limited purposes of facilitating and improving the implementation of procedures throughout the Baltimore County Department of Planning & Zoning Administrative Offices.

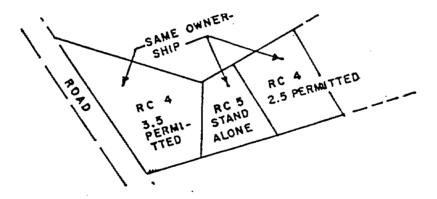
The policies organized here are subject to alteration, modification, or revision in accordance with the authority under which they are initially adopted. As such, the policies have no binding effect within a Court of law, although they may be utilized by the Courts to interpret and construe pertinent zoning regulations. Hofmeister v. Frank Realty Co., Inc., 373 A 2d 273 (1977); Farber's, Inc. v. Comptroller of the Treasury of the State of Maryland, 266 Md 44 (1972).

This Manual could not have been prepared without the experience and knowledge of James Dyer, Zoning Supervisor; Diana Itter; Douglas Swam; and Nicholas Commodari, Zoning Coordinator; and expecially without the time, effort and ability of Carl Richards.

# RSD-7 R.C. ZONES UNDER THE SAME OWNERSHIP

If R.C. zoned land <u>under the same ownership</u> is separated by a <u>different R.C. zone</u>, then the density should be calculated and utilized by each zone parcel. In the following example the R.C. 4 density would be two for one parcel and three for the other. The five lots would have to be located in the respective permitted density parcels of the property. The R.C. 5 area would be figured and utilized separately.

If R.C. zoned land is proposed to be clustered in the same zone, on the same property, across another zone, a special hearing would be required before the Zoning Commissioner. In the following example a special hearing would be required to request that six density units be permitted in the R.C. 4 zone and/or that three units be permitted on the 2.5 density units parcel.



If R.C. zoned land under the same ownership is divided by a public road, parcels on both sides of the road should be figured separately for density as if they were separate recorded lots, the density may not be transferred or accumulated across the roads, unless;

In the judgement of the Zoning Supervisor and/or the Commissioner, a special hearing may be applied for to transfer or accumulate density across a road.

## RSD-10 SUBDIVIDING R.C.2 ZONED LAND

Subdivision or further subdividing of legally existing R.C.-2 zoned parcels prior to Bill 178-79 (effective 11/25/79) is permitted in accordance with the present R.C.-2 zoning regulations, provided that:

- A. The parcels are separately described in a recorded deed.
- B. The parcels recorded met the existing zoning regulations at that time.

If the property is recorded by multiple deeds or the deed contains multiple parcels, or the subdivision needs further clairification, the following may be required:

- A. To properly identify the parcels, a property plat should be prepared listing and color coding each parcel according to the description in the deed.
- B. The plats, deeds, and other supporting documentation should be prepared and certified by either a land surveyor, registered professional engineer or title attorney.
- C. All of the above information and documents should be submitted for review at least two weeks prior to zoning approval or CRG.

When legally existing parcels or deeds qualify to be subdivided or resubdivided, each separate parcel must be subdivided individually. The right to divide or the density cannot be transferred from one lot to another, accumulated, or clustered in an R.C.2 zone, unless a public hearing is held by the Zoning Commissioner.

See 85-104SPH; 85-281SPH

# BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

#### Inter-office Correspondence

90-4925AHA

TO: Mr. J. Robert Haines
Zoning Commissioner

FROM: Mr. Robert W. Sheesley

SUBJECT: Special Hearing - Black Pine Farm

Item #344

DATE: June 26, 1990

PETITIONER'S
EXHIBIT 14

On behalf of the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management I have reviewed the proposed development plat regarding Black Pine Farm dated March 20, 1990 submitted in conjunction with the Special Hearing Petition involving lot line adjustments and variances. The review of the proposed development has been undertaken to determine the plan's consistency with County Council Bill #134-89 and the related policy prepared and administered by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management.

The eight proposed lots are well under the number permitted by the RC-2 and RC-4 zoning existing on the property which, based on the developer's calculation, is 27 total lots. Additionally, the proposed number of lots is well within the 21 lots permitted under the policy protecting prime and productive soils. The reduction of six lots reflects the loss of density within the RC-4 zoning because of the existence of prime and productive soils within the RC-4 zoned area of the farm.

The location, to the degree shown, of any proposed lots involving new houses is acceptable in regard to the prime and productive soil policy, albeit, lots IV - VII are generally located on productive or Class III soils. These lot locations are deemed consistent with the prime and productive soil policy because they are located in a woodland and are, therefore, not disruptive of tillable farmland or pasture areas and they are generally consistent with the 60,000 square feet maximum lot size. Similarly, the larger "agricultural" lots are consistent in a general sense with the 50 acre minimum size requirement referenced with the prime and productive soil policy.

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management recognizes that this farm property is located in a significant agricultural area of Baltimore County. It is defined by the <u>Baltimore County Master Plan 1990-2000</u> as being located within an "Agricultural Preservation Area". Additionally, it is virtually surrounded by farms which are official or proposed Agricultural Districts under the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Program or are preserved through easement agreements with the Maryland Environmental Trust. It is, therefore, essential that in order to reduce any destabilization of this agricultural community from this proposed development, the following conditions be made part of any order approving this petition and accompanying plan:

Mr. J. Robert Haines June 26, 1990 Page 2

- No further subdivision of any lot be permitted. 1)
- An application be made within two years to place the entire property 2) as an Agricultural District under the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Program or a similar preservation program prior to the sale of any parcel or lot or that deed covenants requiring participation be included for all of the farm's large parcels or lots.
- The proposed road be private rather than public and not exceed a 3) width of 16 feet of open section. No street lights should be permitted.
- Tree removal should be restricted so as not to exceed 17.5% of lots 4) IV to VII.
- Any additional restrictions deemed necessary by the Zoning 5) Commissioner in order to maintain the aesthetics of a farm environment on the subject property as well as restrictions on disruptive uses such as all terrain vehicles (ATV's).

Should you have any questions or need additional information regarding these comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 2904.

> est w Sheer beg Robert W. Sheesley, Director

Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management

RWS:PJS:tjg

cc: Mr. P. David Fields Mr. Donald C. Outen Mrs. Janice B. Outen Mr. Paul J. Solomon

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### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

J. Robert Haines

DATE: June 15, 1990

Zoning Commissioner

FROM:

Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., Item No. 344

This farm is within an agricultural preservation area as indicated by the 1989 Master Plan. It is essential that this petition not be granted if it will conflict with the policies provided for in that plan (see enclosure).

The Petitioner's have indicated that this plan will be a final development plan with no further subdivision. It is necessary, however, that perspective landowners purchase the properties with the development rights and then be able to sell them to a suitable land trust.

In summary, there must be grantees that the land will not be further subdivided. Given these considerations, the office submits the following recommendation:

The office supports this petition with the following restrictions:

- That the access road be a panhandle road that meets Fire Department approval but built to minimum standards, preferably 16 ft. in width;
- 2.) That there be covenants recorded that the maintenance and repair of this road be at the expense of the property owners and that it will not be appropriate for Baltimore County to assume this responsibility;
- That the covenants permit farm vehicles to cross the panhandle road at locations appropriate for efficient farming activities;
- 4.) That the covenants inform the property owners that the area is a preferred agriculture area and that smells, noises, chemical usage, etc. associated with the industry are to be expected to occur;

Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., Item No. 344 Page 2 June 15, 1990

- 5.) That the covenants require landowners to participate in the sale of agricultural easements to the Maryland Agricultural Land Preservation Program or other suitable program within two (2) years of the approval of the petition; and
- 6.) That in the event that easements are not sold to an appropriate land trust entity, the land shall not be further subdivided.

If there should be any further questions or if this office can provide additional information, please contact Jeffrey Long in the Office of Planning at 887-3211.

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FETITIONER'S EXHIBIT 16

January 6, 1990

I Carroll Price, agree to rent the tillable acres on Black Pine Farm, located on Blackrock Rd., from William Boucher for the sum of \$40.00 per acre.

N rerk testing is to be done while crops are growing.

Carrell Price

239-8234

William Boucher

771-4337

Mike Murphy

332-0770



## County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

#### COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING, ROOM 315 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 (301) 887-3180

H aring Room Room 301, County Office Bldg. August 30, 1991

REVISED NOTICE OF CONTINUANCE AND REASSIGNMENT
NO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHOUT GOOD AND
SUFFICIENT REASONS. REQUESTS FOR POSTPONEMENTS MUST BE
IN WRITING AND IN STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2(b). NO
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RULE 2(c), COUNTY COUNCIL BILL NO. 59-79.

CASE NO. 90-492-SPHA

CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC. SW/s of Black Rock Rd., 800' SE of Benson Mill Rd. (Black Pine Farm) 5th Election District

3rd Councilmanic District

SPH/Reconfiguration of parcels/lot lines; clustering of RC 2 densities; OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE

VAR-Accessory bldg. in front yard in lieu of rear; height

8/23/90 -Z.C.'s Order DENYING Petition for Special Hearing; GRANTING with restrictions Petition for Variance.

This matter which was set for hearing on Tuesday, August 27, 1991 was continued on the record and rescheduled for one hour on September 6, 1991; however, at the request of Counsel, this matter has now been rescheduled to Wednesday, September 4, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. and has been

REASSIGNED FOR: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1991 at 9:00 a.m.

CC: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Counsel for Petitioner/Appellant Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire " " " "

William Boucher, III, Pres.

Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc.

1/2. Myrton Gaines Contract Purchaser

G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Counsel for Protestants

Anthony P. Palaigos, Esquire Counsel for Mr. & Mrs. Dorsey

Mr. & Mrs. James Dorsey

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Docket Clerk - Zoning

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Petitioner's EX17

#### COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND Legislative Session 1989, Legislative Day No. 16 BILL NO. 134-89

Mr. William R. Evans, Councilman By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, September 5, 1989

#### A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

Development Regulations-Agricultural Preservation

FOR the purpose of preserving agricultural lands and protecting prime and productive soils in the development process.

BY adding

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Section 22-37(b) (5) Division 1

Section 22-39 new definition "Prime and Productive Soils" Division 1

Section 22-99(c) Division 3

BY repealing and reenacting with amendments

Section 22-55(b)(3) Division 2

All of Article IV. Title 22 "Planning, Zoning and Subdivision Control" Baltimore County County, 1978, 1987 Cumulative Supplement as amended

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the County Council of Baltimore 1. County, Maryland, that Sections 22-37(b) (5), 22-39 new definition 2. "Prime and Productive Soils, and 22-99 (c), be and they are hereby added to Article IV. title "Planning, Zoning and Subdivision Control" of the Baltimore County Code, 1978, 1987 Cumulative Supplement, to read as follows: 6. 7.

Sec. 22-37. Development policies.

(b) These regulations are intended to protect and promote public health, safety and welfare and to ensure provision for public

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law. Strike-out indicates matter stricken from bill. Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

- facilities, services and amenities. To this end, these regulations are designed and intended to ensure the safety, adequacy and convenience of proposed provisions for the following:
- 4. (5) PRESERVATION OF AGRICULTURAL LANDS, INCLUDING ADEQUACY OF
  5. PROTECTION OF PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE SOILS FROM INAPPROPRIATE DEVELOPMENT.
- Sec. 22-39. Definitions.
- 7. As used in these regulations, the following words and terms have the meaning indicated:
- 9. PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE SOILS MEANS SOIL TYPES DEFINED IN THE

  10. U.S.D.A. SOIL SURVEY OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, ISSUED MARCH 1976 AND AS

  11. UPDATED, AS AGRICULTURAL CAPABILITY CLASSES I, II OR III OR AS WOODLAND

  12. CLASSES 1 OR 2.
- 13. Sec. 22-99. Slope protection and soils.
- 14. (c) ON PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE SOILS WITHIN THE R.C. ZONES, EXCEPT

  15. WITHIN THE R.C.5 ZONE, NO PLAN OR PLAT MAY BE APPROVED UNLESS THE

  16. COUNTY FINDS THAT CONSTRUCTION, EXCAVATIONS, BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES,

  17. PAVEMENTS, GRADING, CLEARING OR OTHER DISTURBANCES OF THE SOILS WILL BE

  18. LIMITED OR RESTRICTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH POLICIES ESTABLISHED BY THE

  19. DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT TO
- 20. PROMOTE AGRICULTURAL USES AND PROTECT BALTIMORE COUNTY'S SOIL RESOURCES.
- THIS REGULATION SHALL APPLY TO ALL DEVELOPMENT EXCEPT SUCH DEVELOP-
- 22. MENT WHICH HAS BEEN ACCEPTED FOR FILING UNDER SECTION 22-56 BY THE
- DEPARIMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS PRIOR TO OCTOBER 1, 1989.
- 24. SECTION 2. Be it further enacted, that Section 22-55(b)(3), Division
- 25. 2, Article IV. of the Baltimore County Code, 1978, 1987 Cumulative
- 26. Supplement, be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to
- 27. read as follows:
- 28. Section 22-55. Plan.
- 29. (b) The plan shall be filed with the department of public works 30. and shall contain the following information:

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1.	(3) Soil types in accordance with the soil survey, Baltimore
2.	County, Maryland(;), INCLUDING, IDENTIFICATION OF PRIME AND PRODUCTIVE
3.	SOILS;
4.	Section 3. And be it further enacted, that this bill, including
5.	all of Subsection 22-99(c) shall expire and be of no further effect on
6.	January 1, 1991.
7.	SECTION 34. And be it further enacted, that this Act
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THE ACTUAL CONSIDERATION PAID OR TO BE PAID IS \$725,000.00.

Witnesseth: that in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars, and other valuable considerations, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said Grantor does hereby grant, convey and assign unto

Grantees, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, and unto the survivor of them, his or her heirs personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

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in the State of Maryland, and described as follows, that is to say:

(See Exhibit A Attached)

L. Myrton Gaines and Mary B. Gaines, his wife, Grantees in the within Deed hereby certify under the penalties of perjury, that the land conveyed in said Deed is residentially improved owner-occupied real property and that the residence will be occupied by them.

MYRTØN GAINES

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To have and to hold the said described lots(s) of ground and premises, unto and to the use of the said

Grantees, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, and unto the servivor of them his or her heirs, personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

And the said Grantor covenants that it will warrant specially the property hereby granted and conveyed, and that it will execute such further assurances of said land as may be requisite.

Whenever used, the singular number shall include the plural, the plural the singular, and the use of any gender shall be applicable to all genders.

In Testimony Thereof, the said Grantor has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed, and its Vice-President to set his hand hereto.

WITNESS:

CHESAPEAKE EQUITIES ORGANIZATION, INC.

State of Maryland,

of the Grantor Corporation.

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before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State aforesaid, personally appeared

, who acknowledged himself to be the Vice-President of the Grantor Corporation, and that he, as such Vice-President, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing, in my presence, the name of the said corporation by himself as Vice-President, and certified that this conveyance is not part of a transaction in which there is a sale, lease, exchange or other transfer of all or substantially all of the property and assets

WITNESS: my hand and Notarial Seal,

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My Commission expires: July 1, 1990

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EXHIBIT 'A'

ADJUSTED LOT 1.

All that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Paltimona County, State of Maryland and described as follows to all

Beginning for the same at a point situate on the sust side of Black Road Read and at the beginning of a parcel of land designated tot 1 containing 39.33 Acres and described in a deed dated January 5, 1989 and recorded on ng the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio St while pas conveyed by H. Sbeker Lott, 111 to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. and rurning thence with and binding on the first line of said parcel of land and binding in the bed of Black Rock Road, as the courses are referred to the true meridian, South 14 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds East 34.16 feet to a point in said road and to the beginning of a parcel of land designated Lot 2 containing 4.11 Acres and described in the aforesaid deed, thence leaving said road and binding reversely on the last and second lines of said Lot 2 and running with and binding on the second and third lines of said first mentioned parcel of land designated Lot 1, the two following courses and distances viz: South 48 degrees 39 minutes 45 seconds West 1021.20 feet and South 11 degrees 35 minutes 27 seconds West 581.21 feet to an old pipe in a field heretofore set at the end of said third line and at the beginning of the fourth or South 71 degrees 29 minutes 42 seconds West 644.83 foot line of a parcel of land firstly described in a deed dated March 14, 1986 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr. No. 7114 Folio 576 which was conveyed by Arthur L. Shreve III and wife to H. Stokes Lott III, thence running for a line of division through said Lot 1, containing 39.33 Acres and binding for a part on said fourth line, South 62 degrees 57 minutes 56 seconds West 711.19 feet to intersect the ninth or North 46 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West 163.09 foot line of said Lot 1 at a point distant North 46 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West 51.56 feet from a pipe heretofore set at the beginning thereof and thence running with and binding on a part of said ninth line and running with and binding on the tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth and last lines of said Lot 1 which was conveyed by Lott to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. the eight following courses and distances viz: North 46 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West 111.53 feet to a pipe, North 47 degrees 40 minutes 37 second West 195.47 feet to a pipe, North 46 degrees 26 minutes 35 seconds West 287.94 feet to a pipe, North 47 degrees 55 minutes 20 seconds West 149.95 feet to a pipe, North 45 degrees 14 minutes 18 seconds West 126.38 feet to a pipe, North 68 degrees 07 minutes 42 seconds East 55.58 feet to a concrete monument, North 65 degrees 04 minutes 26 seconds East 1,321.57 feet and North 64 degrees 30 minutes 26 seconds East 989.59 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing 24.167 Acres of land more or less.

Being part of a parcel of land firstly described and designated Lot 1 in a deed dated January 5, 1989 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio 87 which was conveyed by H. Stokes Lott III to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

LOT 2:

All that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Fifth Election District of Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as follows to wit:

Beginning for the same at a point in the bed of Black Road Road at the beginning of a parcel of land designated Lot 2 containing 4.11 Acres and described in a deed dated January 5, 1989 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio 87 which was conveyed by H. Stokes Lott III to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., and thence leaving said road and running with and binding on the first line of said Lot 2 as the courses are referred to the true meridian, South 35 degrees 23 minutes 12 seconds West 1525.71 feet to an old pipe in a field and thence running with and binding on the second and last lines of Lot 2 and binding reversely on the third and second lines of a parcel of land designated Lot 1 containing 39.33 Acres and described in said deed from Lott to Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc., to two following courses and distances viz: North 11 degrees 35 minutes 27 seconds East 581.21 feet and North 48 degrees 39 minutes 45 seconds East 1021.20 feet to the place of beginning.

Being all and the same parcel of land secondly described and designated Lot 2 in a deed date! January 5, 1989 and recorded among the Lund Rosanda of Baltimore County in Liber S.M. No. 8075 Folio 87 which was conveyed by H. Stokes Lott III to Coesabeake Equity Organization, Inc.

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between the sapeake Equities Organization, Ing., hereinafter referred to as "Chesapeake" or "Seller" and L. Myrton Gaines, hereinafter referred to as "Caines"

WHEREAS, Chesaneake owns approximately 184 acres on the north or west side of black hook hook in the field discussion. District of Baltimore County, and

WHEREAS, by Contract of Sale dated of even date herewith Gaines has agreed to purchase 28 acres more or less all as more clearly defined on a plat attached horeto and more fully identified as not 1, of Exhibit A and

WHEREAS, it was the condition precedent to the execution of this Agreement that the parties hereto execute the aforesaid Contract of Sale.

NOW, THEREFORE witnesseth in consideration of execution of this Agreement and other good and valuable considerations the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge the parties hereto agree

Chesapeake agrees the remaining parcel of land containing approximately 156 acres of land, more or less, as shown on the attached plat will not be subdivided into more than seven (7) other parcels, as more fully identified as Lots 2 through 8 of Exhibit A. Seller agrees to use its best efforts to obtain Baltimore County approval of Exhibit A. Buyer agrees to cooperate with Seller in this effort. Seller reserves the right to make reasonable adjustments in lot lines so long as the character of sub-division is not altered. the event the above mentioned sub-division plan in not approved in a form similar to Exhibit A, Seller may elect to resubdivide the property in accordance with Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations. If it becomes necessary to re-subdivide the property as a result of the inability to have the subdivision shown as Exhibit A approved, Seller agrees to prohibit the construction of any residential dwellings in the cross-hatched area of Lot 2 as shown on Exhibit A unless otherwise agreed to by the owners of Lot 1. This restriction will survive closing and run with the land. The record plat and the Covenants and Restrictions for this property will reflect this Agreement. (This Exhibit A is similar to, but not identical to the plat attached to the Contract of Sale and CF27.00 identified as Addendum No. 1 to the aforesaid Contractor 27.00 SH CLERK Sale.) MT9241 COO1 RO2 T10:20

Parcel No. 2 containing 46 acres of land will be 06/13/99 restricted to the placement of its residential building site on that portion of Lot No. 2 identified and colored in yellow on the attached Exhibit A. ROCTIVED FOR THANSFER THE KIEF REPORTED THE

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- ingress and egress for Lots 3 chrough the might of way for ingress and egress for Lots 3 chrough t, on Mill t and leasted 20 feet from the common or southern boundary of Gaines' parcel, the approximate location of said drive is shown in green on the attached plat.
- 4. Chesapeake agrees to install no permanent advertising or subdivisions signs along black wood word excluding outliemporary real estate "for sale" signs indicating the Lyallability of Lots 2 through S.
- 5. Chesapeake agrees that no street lights will be installed along the right of way excluding such as might be required by Paltimore County.
- 6. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to provent Gaines from further subdivision of parcel 1 as allowed by the Baltimore County Zoning and Subdivision Regulations as they might be enacted from time to time.
- 7. Gaines agrees that he will grant and assign his density rights in that portion of Lot 1 as is contained in the RC2 Zone as required by Baltimore County in order to permit Seller to obtain a recorded subdivision plat of eight (8) residential density lots.
- 8. Item 1 through 7 hereof are deemed to be Restrictive Covenants on the further development of the 156 acre parcel owned by Chesapeake; to run with the land and not solely personal to the parties hereto; shall be in perpetuity and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County unless the terms hereof are incorporated in other Restrictive Covenants included in a subdivision of the parcel owned by Chesapeake.
- 9. Chesapeake hereby grants unto Gaines the right of first refusal to purchase that portion of Lot 2 as identified in pink on the attached exhibit, lying adjacent to the southern boundary of Gaines' property and along a portion of the northern boundary of the right of way or entry way to be constructed to serve Lots 3 through 8. Unless the Buyer exercises his right to purchase additional acreage, this right shall expire ten (10) days after Seller notifies Buyer in writing of Seller's receipt of an offer for Lot 2 which is acceptable to Seller. The purchase price for such parcel shall be established by Seller. This right of first refusal shall be renewed in the event such sale by Seller is not consummated. (This restriction to be personal to the parties hereto and not to run with the land.)

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# County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

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Hearing Room -Room 301, County Office Bldg. August 30, 1991

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This Agreement shall be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns.

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L. MYRZON GAINES

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STATE OF MARYLAND COUNTY OF GALTIMOSE: to wit,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10th day of January, 1990, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared a duly authorized officer of Chesapeake Equities Organization, Inc. and made oath in due form of law that he, as such officer is duly authorized to enter into this Agreement, that the statements are true and correct as therein stated, and acknowledged said Agreement to be the act of said body corporate.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.

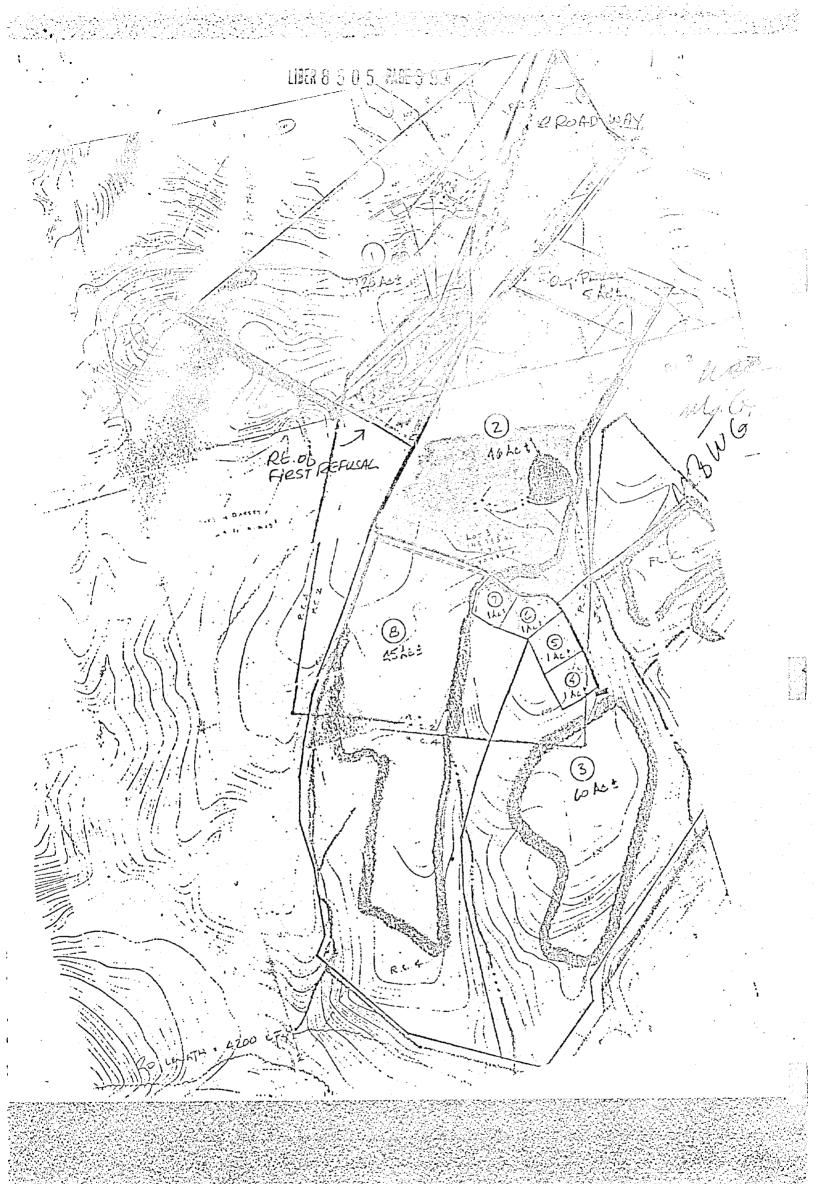
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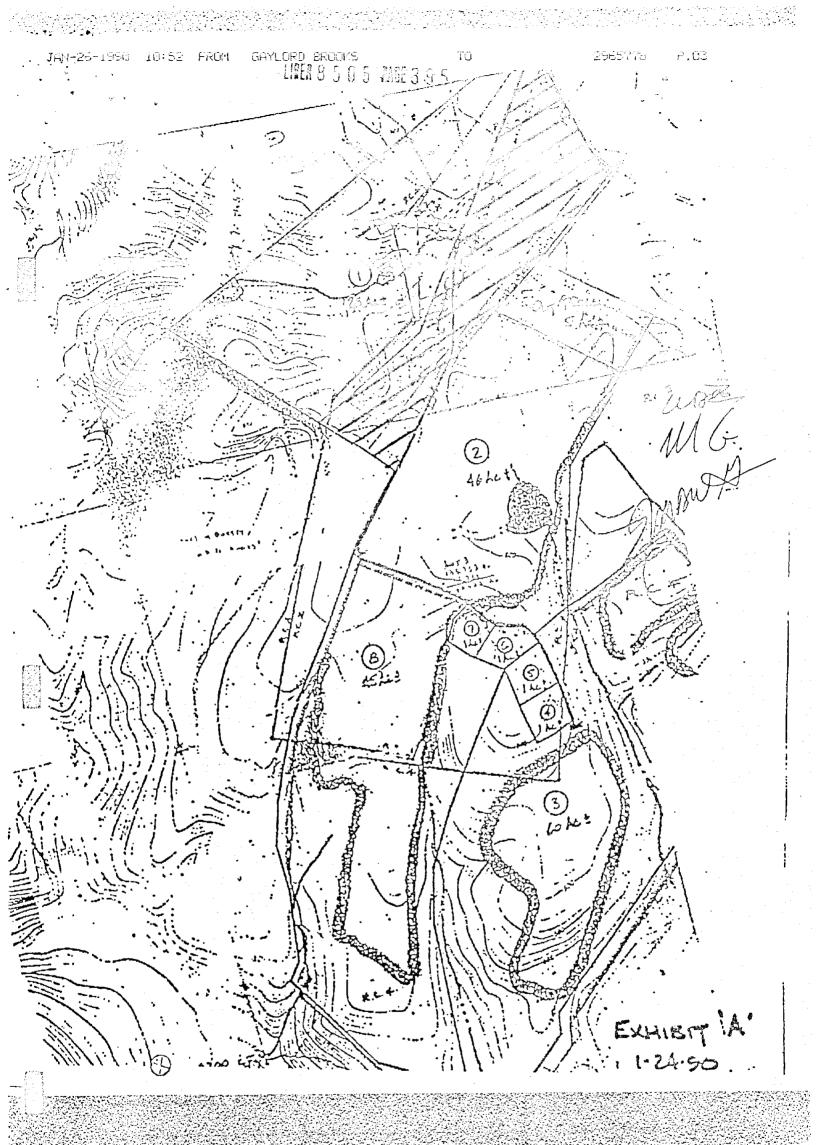
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# BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

INTERIM APPLICATION OF BALTIMORE COUNTY COUNCIL BILL No. 134-89

April 1, 1990 (Revised June 4, 1990)

County Council Bill No. 134-89 requires this agency to establish policies "to promote agricultural uses and protect Baltimore County's soil resources". In order to prevent unnecessary and/or unwarranted delays in processing plans and/or plats and for the purpose of avoiding uncertainty in regard to the effect of this legislation in general, the following interim policy is effective immediately.

Any plan and/or plat submitted to this agency for development approval that involves RC-2, RC-3 or RC-4 zoning needs to be reviewed by the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management to determine its consistency with the interim policy detailed below. All other existing requirements of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations continue to be applicable.

RC-2 and RC-4 zoned land within the "Agricultural Preservation Areas" as established in the draft <u>Baltimore County Master Plan</u>, 1989-2000 shall be subject to the following additional requirements. (No RC-3 exists within "Agricultural Preservation Areas".)

- 1. Lots created within RC-2 zoned areas shall be 60,000 square feet or less or greater than 50 acres in size except that exceptions can be made in regard to these standards based on sewerage and water system requirements; unique physical characteristics of the site; adjacent development characteristics; and other factors which create practical difficulties in satisfying these lot size requirements as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management.
- 2. Lots created within RC-2 and RC-4 zoned land shall not be located on prime and productive soils as referenced in the Baltimore County Soil Survey unless it is demonstrated that no other suitable area for lot placement exists and the location of lots shall not seriously impact the utility of a farming operation or significantly diminish the agricultural land resources.

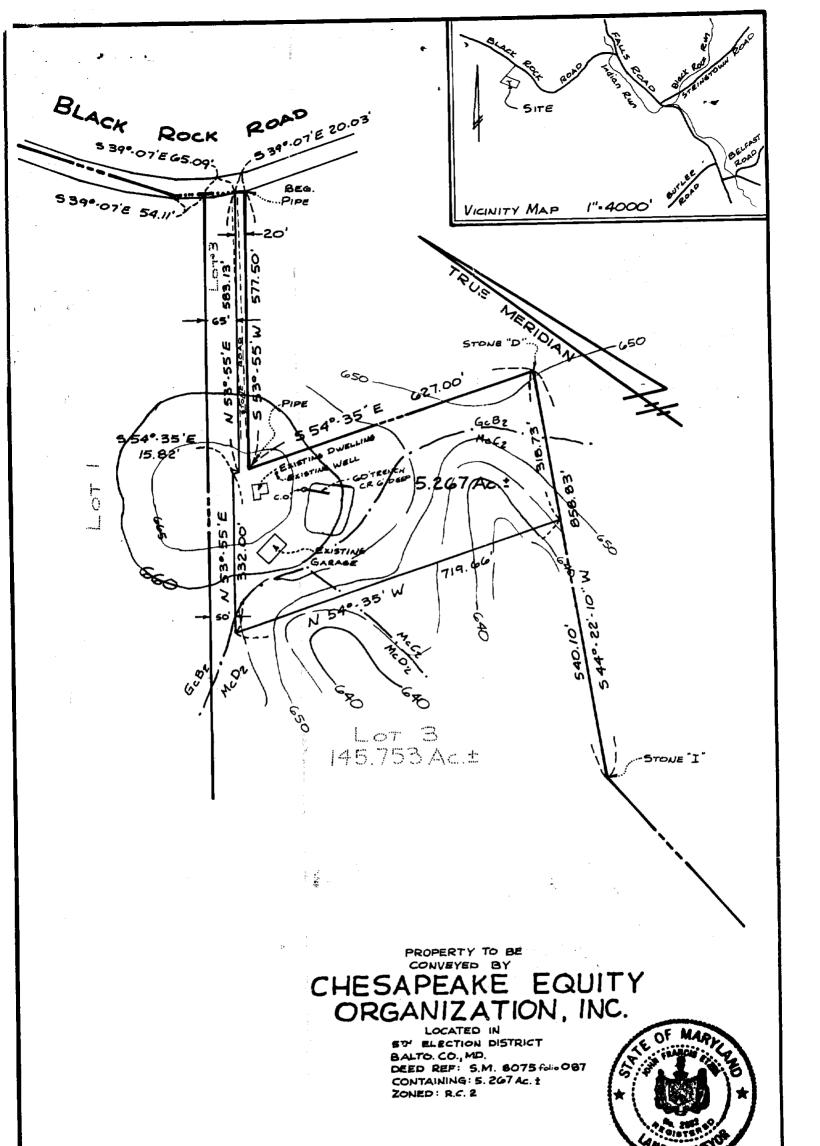
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In regard to prime and productive soils within RC-4 zoned land, the residential density calculated shall be the same as for RC-2. In addition, provisions for lot size and location in regard to all lots allowed within RC-4 zoned areas shall be similar to #1 and #2 above.

In regard to areas zoned RC-2, RC-3 and RC-4 outside of "Agricultural Preservation Areas" the following provisions shall apply:

- 1. RC-2 zoned land will be administered in a similar fashion as outlined for "Agricultural Preservation Areas". (See above.)
- 2. RC-4 zoning will be amended as follows:
  - a) Lot size is not to exceed 60,000 square feet nor be less than 25 acres unless the accommodation of on-lot sewer and/or water requires additional acreage except that variances can be made in regard to these standards based on sewerage and water system requirements; unique physical characteristics of the site; adjacent development characteristics; and other factors which create practical difficulties in satisfying these lot size requirements as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management.
  - b) Lots can be placed on prime and productive soils <u>if</u> it is demonstrated that this will promote reservoir watershed protection by locating lots a greater distance from watercourses including floodplains, seeps and springs and by avoiding the location of lots on steep slopes (>15%). (The primary purpose of RC-4 outside of the "Agricultural Preservation Areas" is to promote watershed protection, albeit, wherever possible prime and productive soils shall be protected.)
  - c) Clustering shall be required wherever possible.
- 3. RC-3 zoning shall be amended so that lot size shall not exceed one (1) acre or be less than 25 acres. Clustering of lots shall be required wherever possible. Lots shall be excluded from prime and productive soils unless it is demonstrated that no other suitable location exists.

DISC #4: "INTERIM.APP" TJG 6-4-90

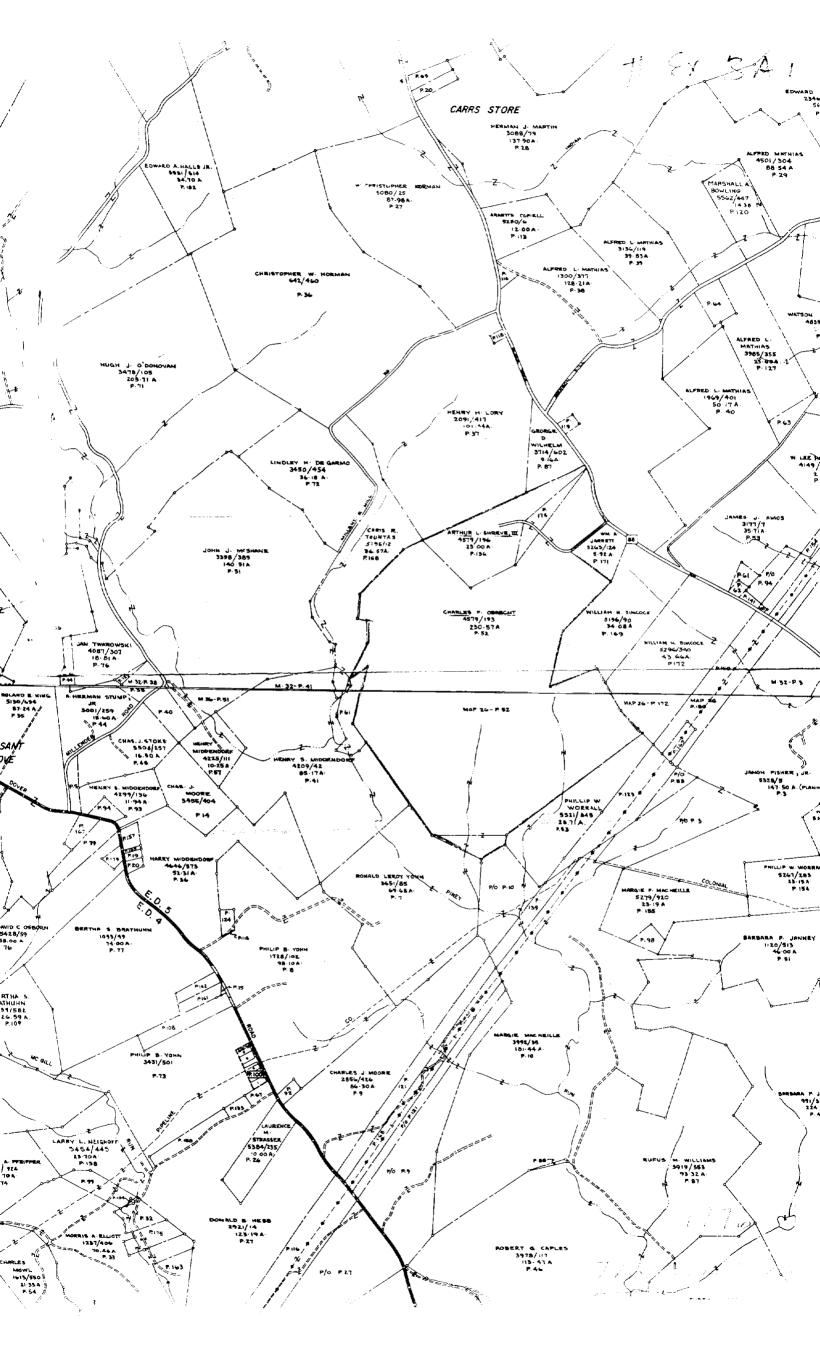


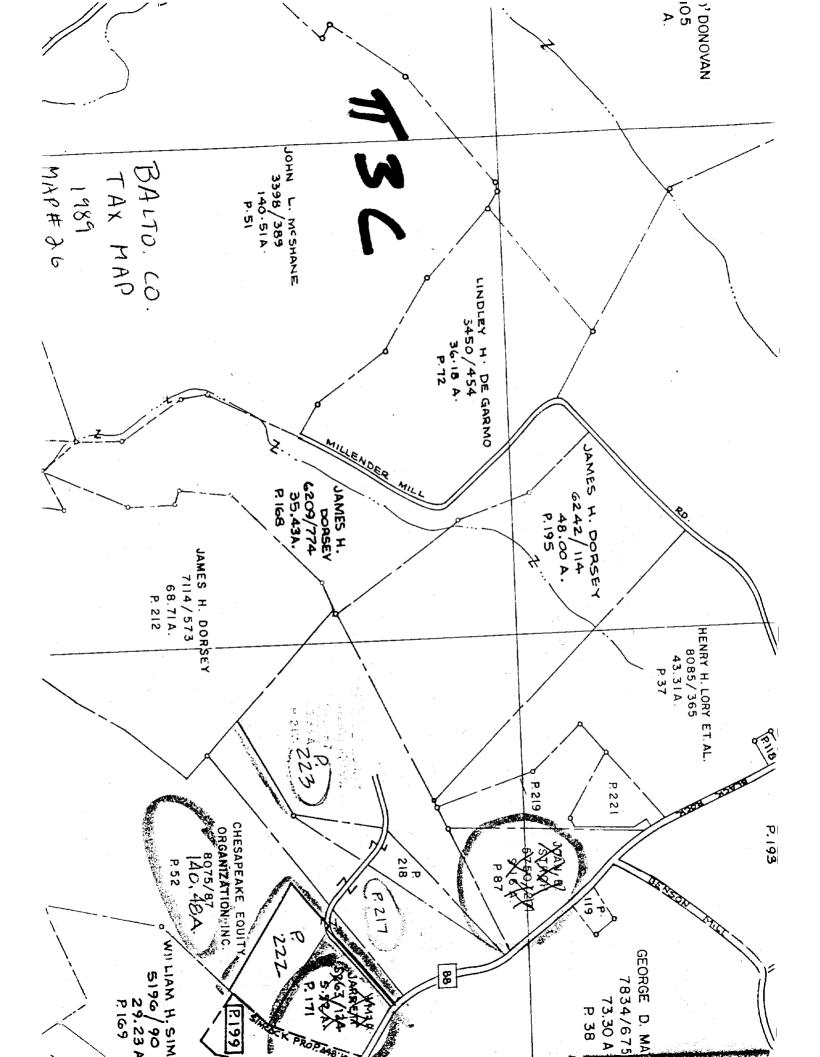
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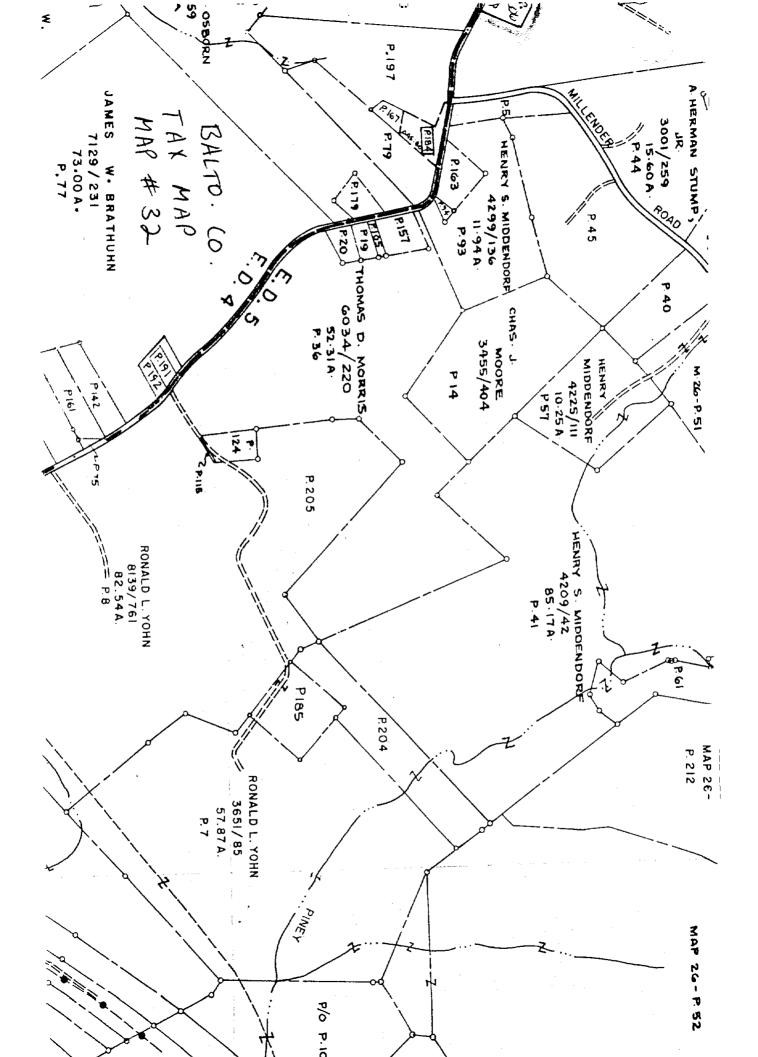
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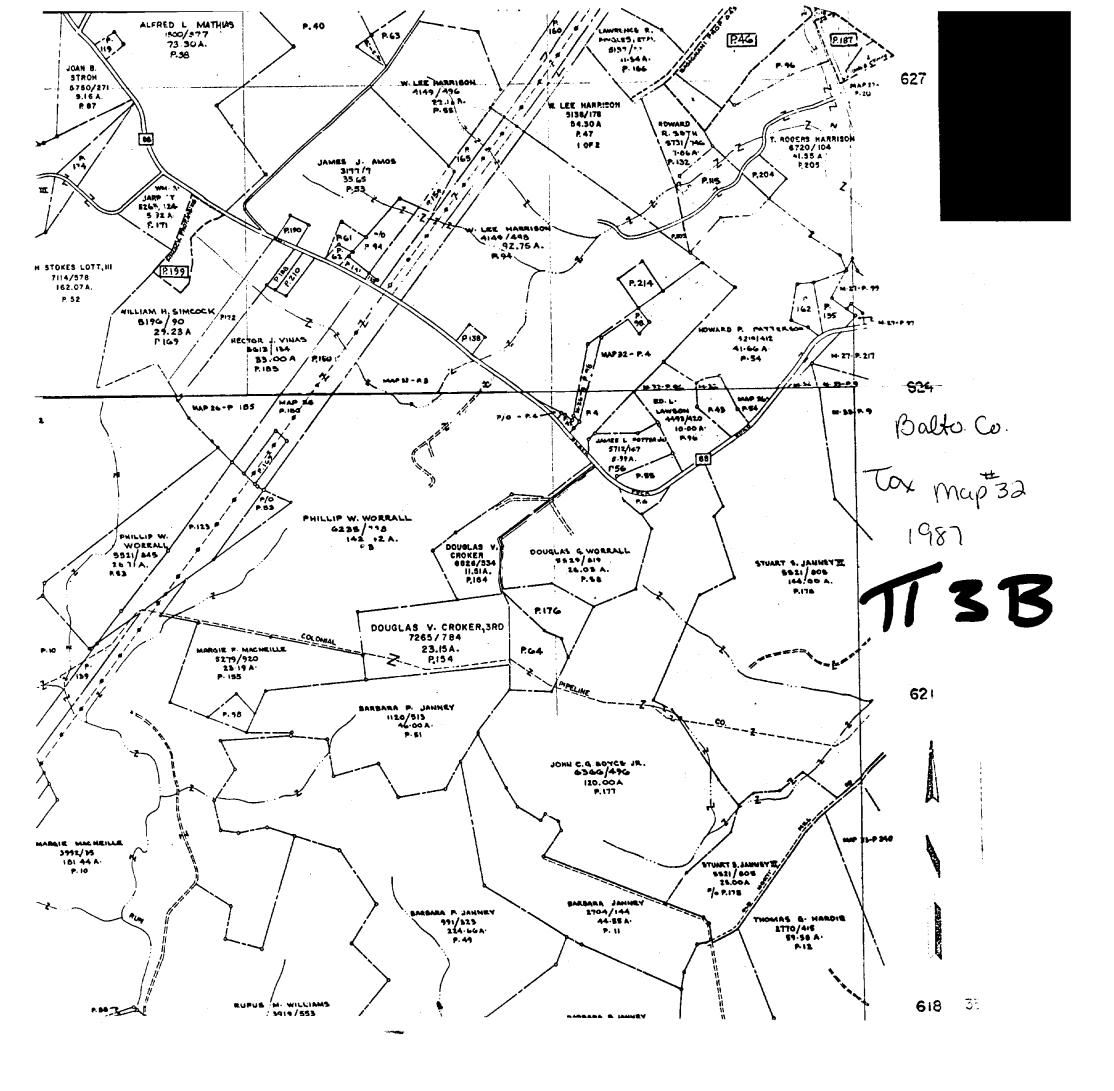
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Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Interoffice Correspondence

DATE:

December 9, 2002

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Permits & Development Management

Attn.: David Duvall

FROM:

Theresa R. Shelton

Board of Appeals

SUBJECT:

**CLOSED APPEAL CASE FILES** 

The following case(s) have been finalized and the Board of Appeals is closing the copy of the appeal case file(s) and returning the file(s) and exhibits (if applicable) attached herewith.

BOARD OF APPEALS CASE NUMBER	<u>PDM FILE NUMBER</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
90-492-SPHA	90-492-SPHA	Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc.	Black Pine Farm
02-255-XA	02-255-XA	Port East LLC Kenneth C. Jones	4515 North Point Blvd
90-540-A	90-540-A	100 Church Lane Partnership	100 Church Lane
96-284-SPHX with CBA-97-100	96-284-SPHX III-377	Village Care, Inc. John W. Tastet – LO	Mt. Wilson Lane and Iron Horse Lane

Attachment: SUBJECT FILE(S) ATTACHED



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October 28, 2002

Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire NOLAN, PLUMHOFF & WILLIAMS, CHTD. Suite 700, Nottingham Centre 502 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

> RE: In the Matter of: Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc. Case No. 90-492-SPHA /Dismissal

Dear Mr. Nolan:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Order of Dismissal issued this date by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County in the subject matter.

Very truly yours,

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Administrator

### Enclosure

Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire c: G. Macy Nelson, Esquire Anthony P. Palaigos, Esquire People's Counsel for Baltimore County Pat Keller, Planning Director Lawrence E. Schmidt /Zoning Commissioner Arnold Jablon, Director /PDM

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

BEFORE THE

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COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND

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(BLACK PINE FARM)

\* BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 90-492-SPHA

5<sup>TH</sup> ELECTION DISTRICT 3<sup>RD</sup> COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT

### ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter having come before this Board on appeal dated August 28, 1990 from a decision of the Zoning Commissioner in which the requested special hearing was denied and variance relief granted with restrictions;

WHEREAS, the Board has been reviewing its docket with reference to inactive cases with the intent to dismiss and close as many of these cases as possible; and

WHEREAS, the subject matter has been held on the Board's docket since September 4, 1991, and no further action has occurred since that date:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED this 28th day of (Cotalle), 2002 by the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County that the above-referenced appeal in Case No. 90-492-SPHA be and the same is hereby DISMISSED FOR LACK OF PROSECUTION.

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RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

PETITION FOR VARIANCE

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from Benson Mill Rd., Black

Pine Farm, 5th Election District:

3rd Councilmanic District

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Case No. 90-492-SPHA

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#### ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the above-captioned matter. Notices should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or final Order.

Phyllis Cole Friedman

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Peter Max Zimmerman
Deputy People's Counsel

Room 304, County Office Building

Towson, Maryland 21204

887-2188

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 16th day of May, 1990, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire, Suite 700, Court Towers, 210 W. Pennsylvania Ave., Towson, MD 21204, Attorney for Petitioner; and L. Myrton Gaines, 15009 Dover Rd., Baltimore, MD 21136, Contract Purchaser.

Peter Max Zimmerman



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PEOPLE'S COUNSEL

ROOM 304, COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING

111 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

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PHYLLIS COLE FRIEDMAN

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April 29, 1991

The Honorable William T. Hackett, Chairman Baltimore County Board of Appeals Room 315, County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Chesapeake Equity Org., Inc., Petitioner Zoning Case No. 90-492-SPHA

Dear Chairman Hackett:

This office is a party in this case due to concern with the legal issues. In this regard, we concur with the Zoning Commissioner's decision.

However, due to the presence of other counsel for the Protestants, we believe our participation at the hearing will be redundant. I am sure Mr. Nelson will adequately develop the factual record and we do not wish to offer additional direct evidence or participate in cross-examination.

Consequently, with the Board's concurrence, we do not plan to attend in person at the hearing although we do remain an interested party.

If we do not hear to the contrary, we will assume this is acceptable to the Board.

Sincerely yours,

Phyllis Cole Friedman

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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cc: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire

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Hearing Room Room 301, County Office Bldg. December 17, 1990

#### NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

NO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHOUT GOOD AND SUFFICIENT REASONS. REQUESTS FOR POSTPONEMENTS MUST BE IN WRITING AND IN STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2(b). nO POSTPONEMENTS WILL BE GRANTED WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) DAYS OF SCHEDULED HEARING DATE UNLESS IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 2(c), COUNTY COUNCIL BILL NO. 59-79.

CASE NO. 90-492-SPHA

CHESAPEAKE EQUITY ORG., INC. SW/s of Black Rock Rd., 800' SE of Benson Mill Rd. (Black Pine Farm) 5th Election District 3rd Councilmanic District

SPH-Reconfiguration of parcels/lot lines; clustering of RC 2 densities; OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE VAR-Accessory bldg./in front yard in lieu

VAR-Accessory bldg./in front yard in lieu of rear; height

8/23/90 - Z.C.'s Order DENYING Petition for Special Hearing; GRANTING with restrictions Petition for Variance.

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### ASSIGNED FOR:

FRIDAY, MAX 3, 1991 at 10:00 a.m.

cc: Stephen J. Nolan, Esquire Counsel for Petitioner/Appellant Douglas L. Burgess, Esquire " " " " "

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September 12, 1991

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William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 315 County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Case No. 90-492-SPHA

Subject: Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

S.W.S. of Black Rock Road, 800 ft. S.E. of Benson Mill Road, Fifth Election

District, Third Councilmanic District My Clients: James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey

My Clients: James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dors 3737 Millender Mill Road

Baltimore, Maryland 21155

Our File No. 10399(1)

Dear Mr. Hackett:

The purpose of this letter is to follow up on my correspondence to the County Board of Appeals dated and received August 26, 1991, submitted on behalf of my clients, James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey ("Dorseys").

As previously indicated in the aforementioned letter, the Dorseys stated that they would have no objection to the proposed three lot agricultural subdivision, provided it did not in any way interfere with or otherwise affect, in any manner, any and all rights that they may have pursuant to the Deed of Easement and Sharing Agreement previously described in the aforementioned letter of August 26, 1991, which Agreements, as previously noted, have been and are recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County.

After having reviewed the Deed of Easement and primarily the Sharing Agreement, it is the Dorseys position that the proposed three lot agricultural subdivision does, in fact,

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interfere with their rights as contained therein, and as such, object to the proposed three lot agricultural subdivision.

It goes without saying, however, that if Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. can reach an agreement with the Dorseys on terms and conditions that would be acceptable to the Dorseys, then obviously they would withdraw their objection.

I would, therefore, appreciate your making this follow up correspondence part of the record of these proceedings.

Very truly yours,

Anthony P. Palaigos

APP/hp

cc: Steve Nolan, Esquire
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Matilda and James H. Dorsey

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Re:

Case No. 90-492-SPHA

Subject: Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc.

SWS of Black Rock Road, 800 ft. SE of

Benson Mill Road, Fifth Election District, Third Councilmanic District My Clients: James Henderson Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey, 3737 Millender Mill Road

Baltimore, Maryland 21155 Our File No. 10399(1)

Dear Mr. Hackett:

Please be advised that this office represents James H. Dorsey and Matilda Dorsey, his wife, (the "Dorseys") who reside at 3737 Millender Mill Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21155.

I was only most recently advised of the hearing scheduled in the above captioned matter for Tuesday, August 27, 1991 in reference to a proposal for an agricultural district subdivision consisting of a total of three lots proposed by Chesapeake Equity Organization, Inc. ("Chesapeake").

The purpose of this letter is to introduce my clients, the Dorseys, as interested persons to these proceedings and to specifically request that you include this letter as part of the record of the aforementioned proceedings.

Specifically, it is the Dorseys' understanding that the proposal before the Board of Appeals in this matter is to create an agricultural district subdivision of a total of three lots by the Petitioner, Chesapeake. It is Dorseys' further understanding that access to these three lots will be by virtue of a private right-of-way from Black Rock Road. Based on the foregoing

assumptions, the Dorseys' position with respect to the three lot agricultural district subdivision proposed by Chesapeake is as follows:

- 1. The Dorseys currently are record title owners of certain unimproved land ("Dorsey Property") behind and adjoining the Chesapeake Property, pursuant to a certain Deed dated the 14th day of March, 1986 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber No. 7114, folio 573.
- 2. That a certain Deed of Easement dated April 9, 1990 was executed by and between Chesapeake and the Dorseys, and is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber No. 8694, folio 162, which granted and conveyed to the Dorseys a non-exclusive right-of-way for vehiclular ingress and egress, 50 feet wide, from Black Rock Road to the Dorsey Property, as more particularly described and shown on a plat prepared by Gerhold, Cross & Etzel dated April 5, 1990, a copy of which plat is attached to the aforementioned Deed of Easement.
- 3. That a certain Right-of-Way Sharing Agreement ("Sharing Agreement") dated December 8, 1990 was executed by and between Chesapeake and the Dorseys, and is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber No. 8694, folio 168, which sets forth, among other things, the terms and conditions of the shared use of the right-of-way granted to the Dorseys pursuant to the Deed of Easement previously mentioned in Paragraph 2 of this letter.
- 4. The Sharing Agreement specifically provided, among other things, that (a) Chesapeake and its successors and assigns shall not in any way or manner physically obstruct, impede or interfere with Dorseys use of the right-of-way described in the Deed of Easement, and (b) that Chesapeake and its successors and assigns, in its use of their real property, shall not in any way or manner interfere with , prohibit or restrict the Dorseys use of the right-of-way described in the Deed of Easement in connection with their use of the Dorsey Property, as more particularly described in the Sharing Agreement.
- 5. So long as Chesapeake's proposed three lot agricultural district subdivision does not in any way interfere with or otherwise affect in any manner any and all rights that the Dorseys have, pursuant to their use of the right-of-way, as described in the Deed of Easement and pursuant to the Sharing Agreement, or in any way interfere with or otherwise affect their use of the aforesaid right-of-way in their use of the Dorsey Property, as more particularly described in the Sharing Agreement, then they would not have any specific opposition to this proposal of Chesapeake, or any use of the Chesapeake property consistent with an agricultural district classification. Any

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such interference, however, with the rights already given to the Dorseys, pursuant to either the Deed of Easement or the Sharing Agreement, without the Dorseys prior written consent, will not be acceptable to the Dorseys.

I would, therefore, appreciate your making this letter part of the record of the proceedings before you scheduled for August 27, 1991.

Very truly yours,

Anthony P. Palaigos

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cc: Mr. & Mrs. James H. Dorsey